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CANDACE JIRSA

Candace
Here's hoping
you the very
best in life.
Lots of luck Next
year. Just 1 more
"69" Bye & luck year

To one of Best Girl in P.V.H.S.

Vera

Candace,
Well, you have a great personality. Keep up with everything and remember "good ole P.V. and me" luck.

Love ya'
Sue

Candace,
It's really been lots of fun knowing you and going to school with you.
Love 'N' Luck
Jacqualyn

Candace
To a great person, who I enjoy very much.
Best of luck
Always
Deanna

Candace,
To a real nice person, who has really nice personality. Hope you have alot luck in the world.
Kenny "69"

Candace,
You are a real sweet girl. It has been fun knowing you. You are a great asset to the school. always.
Chelsa

Candace,
To a good pal. Best of luck in the future.
Dick

Candace,
you are a real sweet gal, stay that way, and you'll go places.
Always
Julie

Candace,
You're really a great girl & I love to give ya a bad time. Good luck.
Lynn '69

Candace,
You a real sweet girl. Stay that way. Best of luck in all you do.
Always
Sandra

Candace -
To a real sweet girl whom I don't know very well. Lots of luck & Be Good in the future since you do
Always
Sandra

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"A TIME FOR US"

Time is a sort of river of passing events, and strong is its current; no sooner is a thing brought to sight than it is swept by and another takes its place, and this too will be swept away.

–Marcus Aurelius–

Dedication

"We have no time to sport away the hours;
All must be earnest in a world like ours."
—Our Own Life by Horatius Bonar—

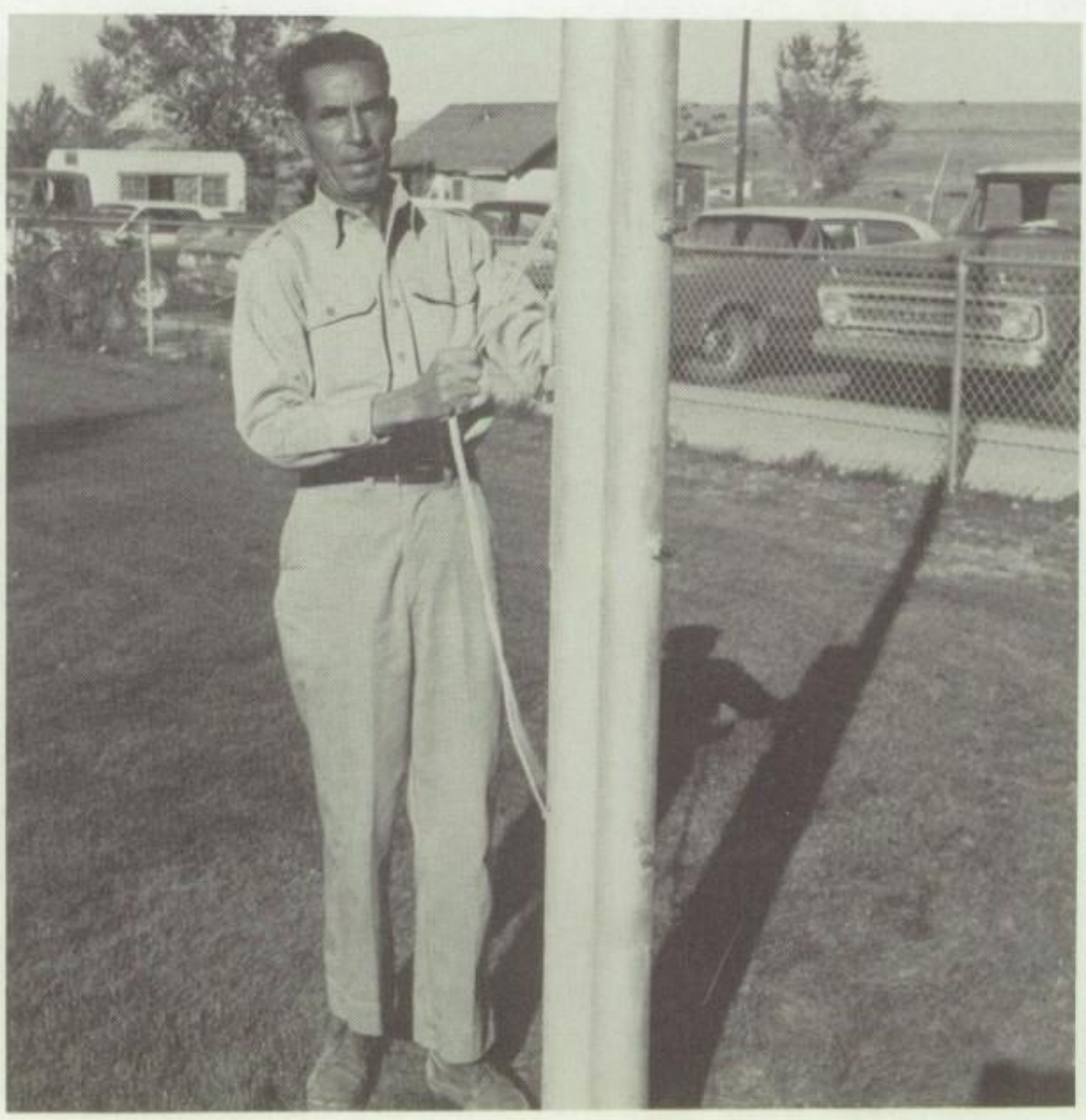
Candace Wallace
You're a great friend. Write
and had lots of fun. Thanks.
Lets have lots more.
Luck in the future
Love
Lennas

The quotation fits you, Mr. Teo Carrillo, and because of your devotion to the needs of the students and faculty of Round Valley High School, we humbly dedicate this 1968 yearbook to you. We hope you will accept our heartfelt thanks for all the many hours you spend keeping Elkland neat and clean and in good repair. Without your devotion to duty, Round Valley High would not be the pleasant place it is today.

Candace,
you are a sweet
girl stay that way
Yours. Good luck
Charlene

Many hours are put in by Teo Carrillo keeping the hallways and classrooms clean. Shirley Winsor assists in this project. The two keep the building shining clean.

Teo can be seen early in the morning by students arriving at school preparing to fly the flags. Later on he can be found sweeping snow off the steps, planting flowers, mowing lawns, replacing a burned out light bulb or something else to beautify Elkland for student enjoyment.



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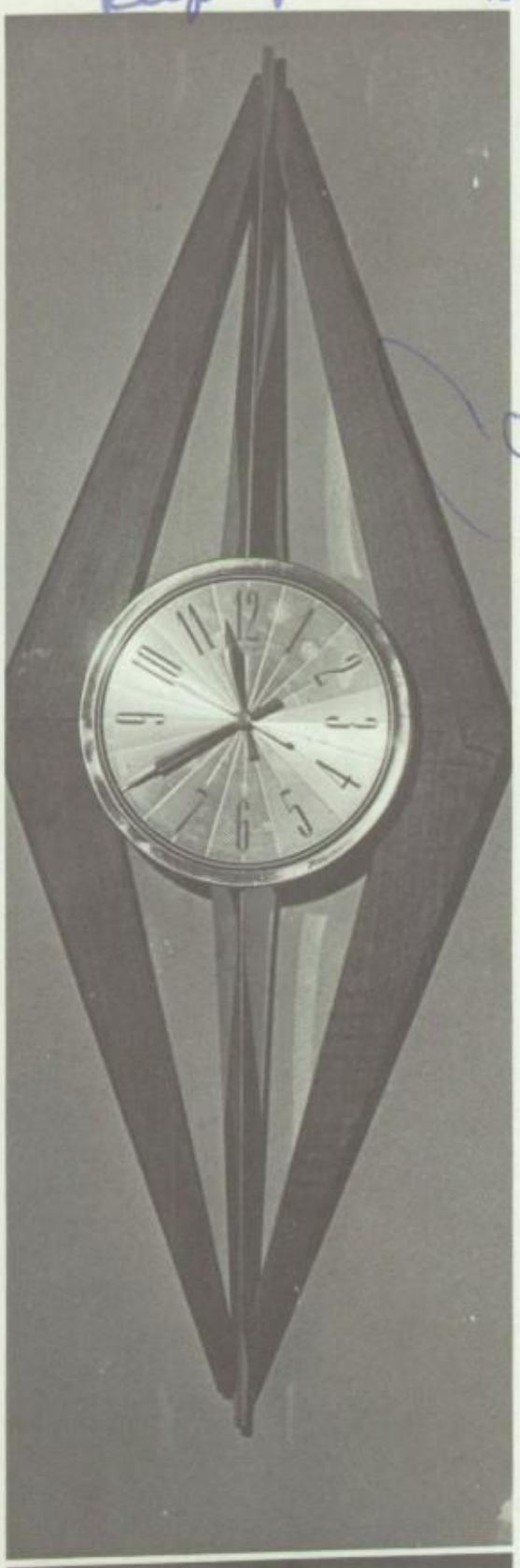

"Only a moment, Elks;
A moment of strength, of romance, of glamour
—of youth!
. . . A flick of sunshine upon a strange shore,
The time to remember,
The time for a sigh, and—goodbye!"

—From "Youth" by Joseph Conrad,
1857 - 1924—

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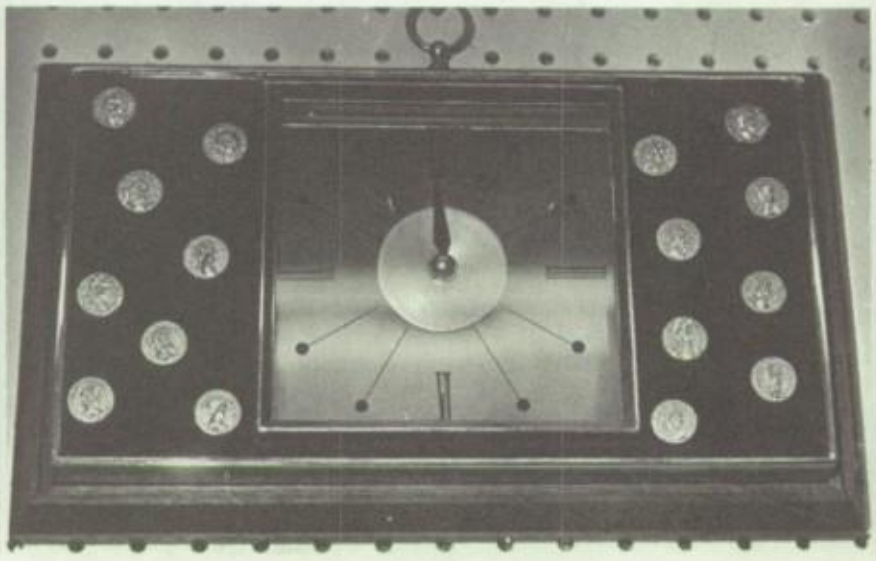
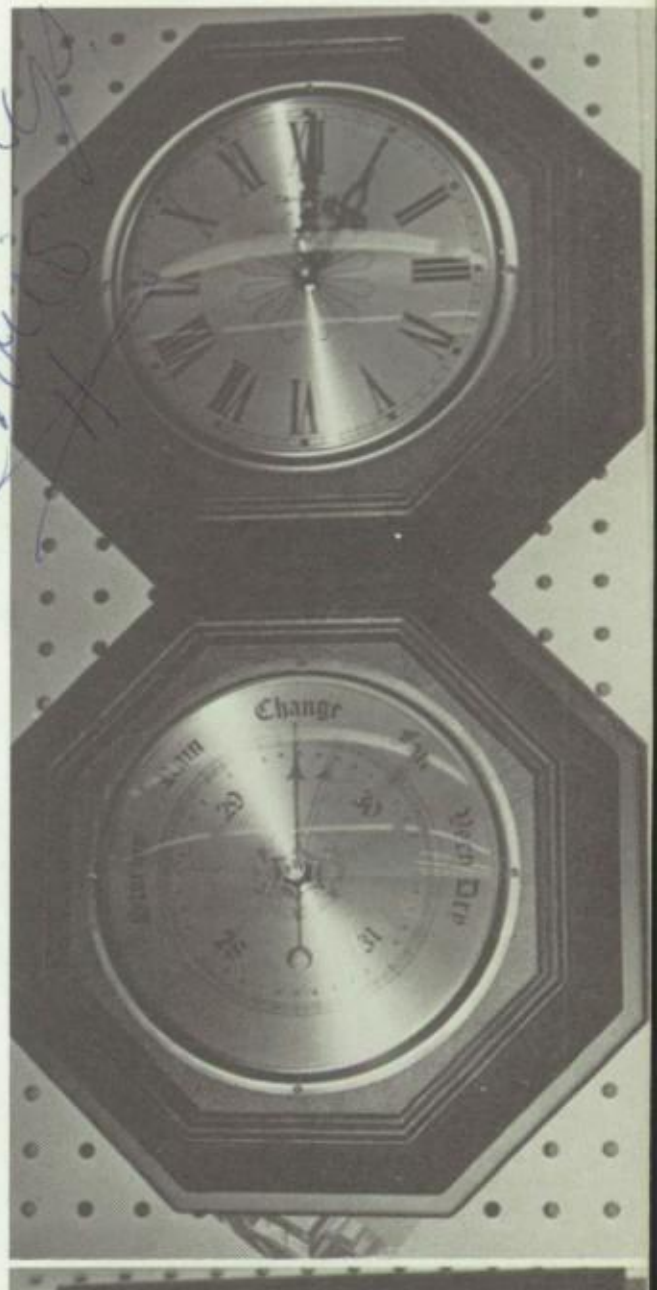
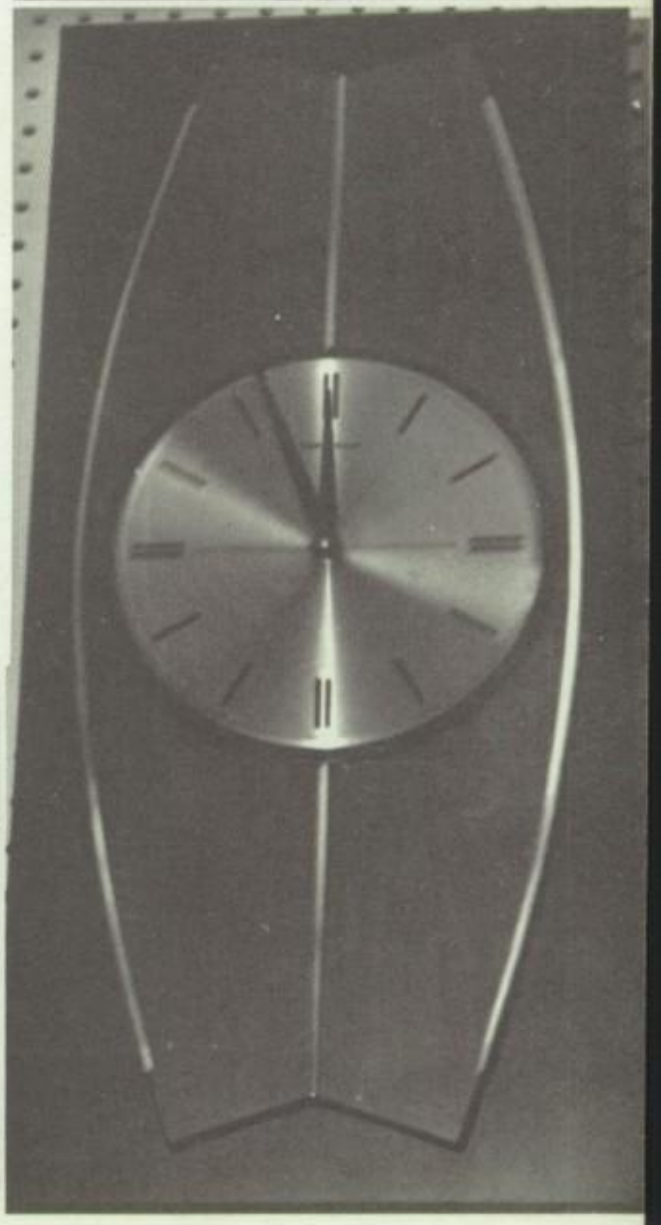
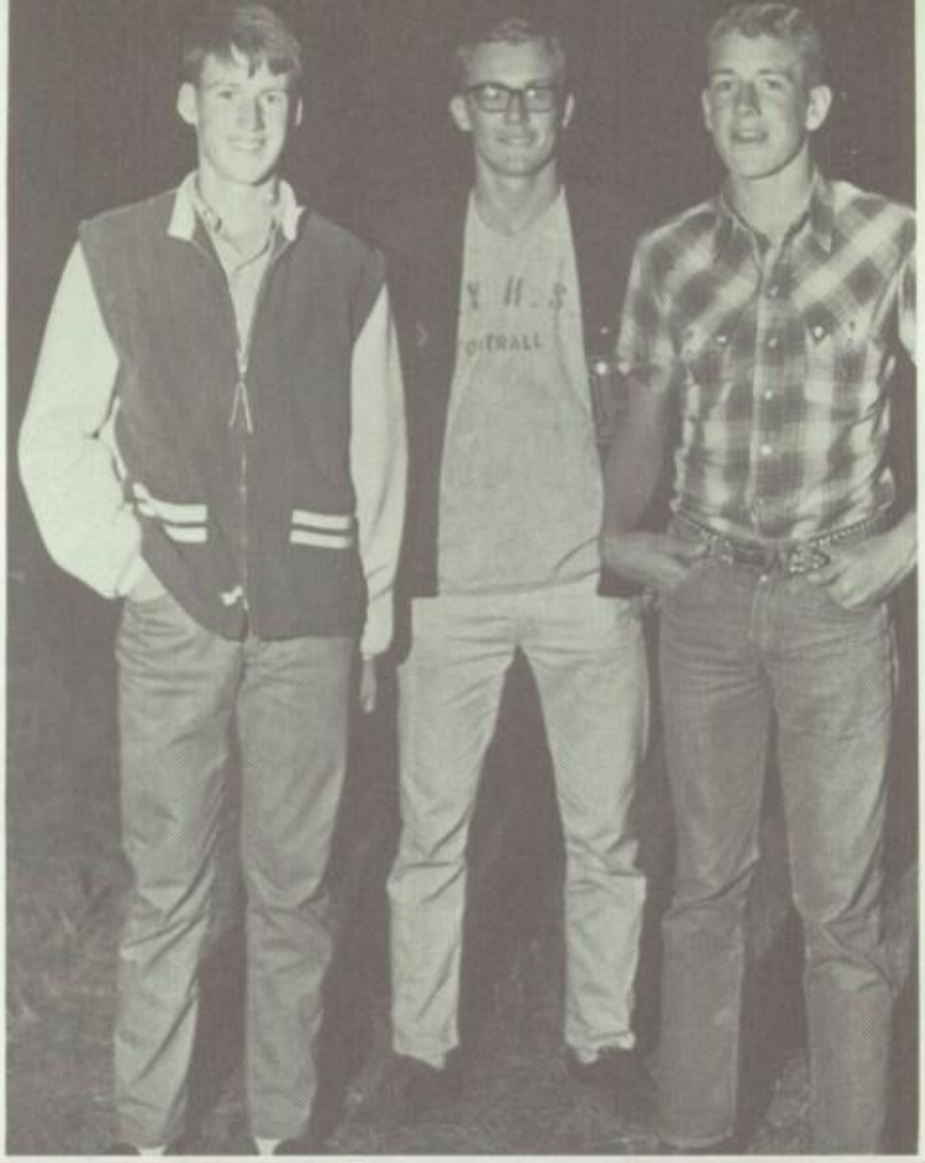
"Time driveth onward fast . . . what is it that will last?"

—Alfred, Lord Tennyson—









A new honor club was formed this year for Elk football players who demonstrated a desire to run, hit, block and tackle in practice sessions. Almost all the members of the varsity team were named to the club by the end of the season.

Manager David Gillespie, in the center, is seen here with RV Hitters Steve Wiltbank and Dale Hall.

Bill Coleman and Tommy Baca were named RV Hitters at one of the bonfire pep rallies.

"RV Hitters" Combine

Bobby Heydt, Rick Savedra, Herman Chavez, Bobby Peters, Kayle Haws, Johnny Chavez and Travis Lytle were among the second group named as RV Hitters.

Kayle Hamblin, Alan Slade, Larry Whitmer, Charles Wiltbank, Ron Johnson and Ron Carrillo were named as the first group to the RV Hitters after two weeks of preschool practice. Coaches Darwin Slade, Diz Reeves, Marlin LeSueur and Rance Smith chose the boys.

Freshmen were initiated by wearing odd items of clothing, singing the school song and acting as slaves for seniors.

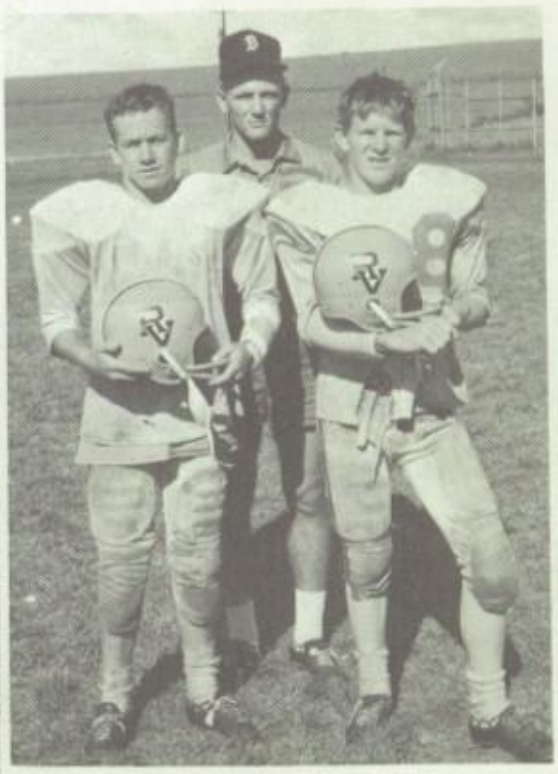
Jack Judd and Tom Judd were named RV Hitters and were allowed to display the RV emblem on their helmets. Tom was injured in the Chinle game and was on crutches the remainder of the football season.

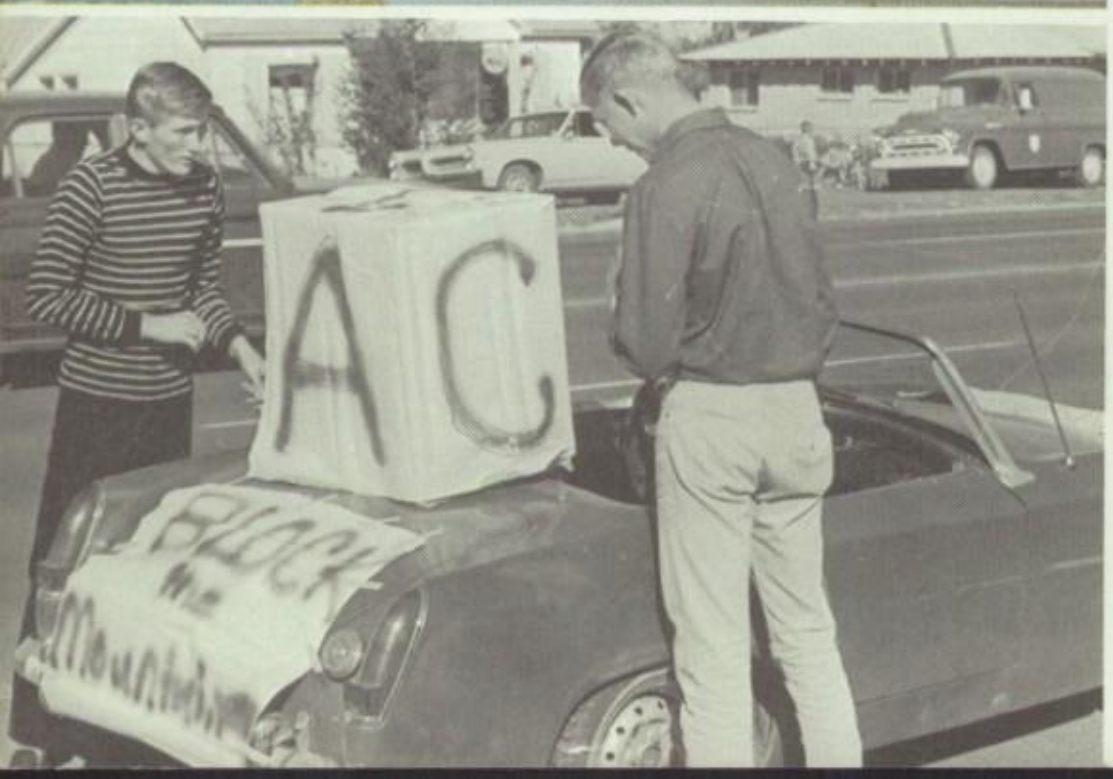
Twirlers, Cheerleaders, to Keep School Spirit High

Twirlers Bonnie Bounds, Jolene LeSueur, Madeline Hall, Chelisa Hall and Jeanne Wiltbank performed at many home football and basketball games and for the student body at one of the football pep assemblies held in the bleachers on Elk Field.

Jack Johnson and Glenn Finch are pictured with Coach Diz Reeves after being named RV Hitters in a practice session. Both boys excelled in Elk football games and earned many black stars for defensive plays.

The four varsity cheerleaders, Janice Waelbroeck, Tana Ashcroft, Gloria Queen and Tonna Sherwood, were in charge of the bonfire pep rallies held before each of the football games. RV Hitters were named at each of the rallies. Most of the students attended and the RV on the hill was lit by flares before homecoming.





Homecoming Royalty (Queen Tana Ashcroft, King Ron Carrillo, Prince Larry Whitmer and Princess Gloria Queen) and Senior President Bill Coleman lead the school song at half time.

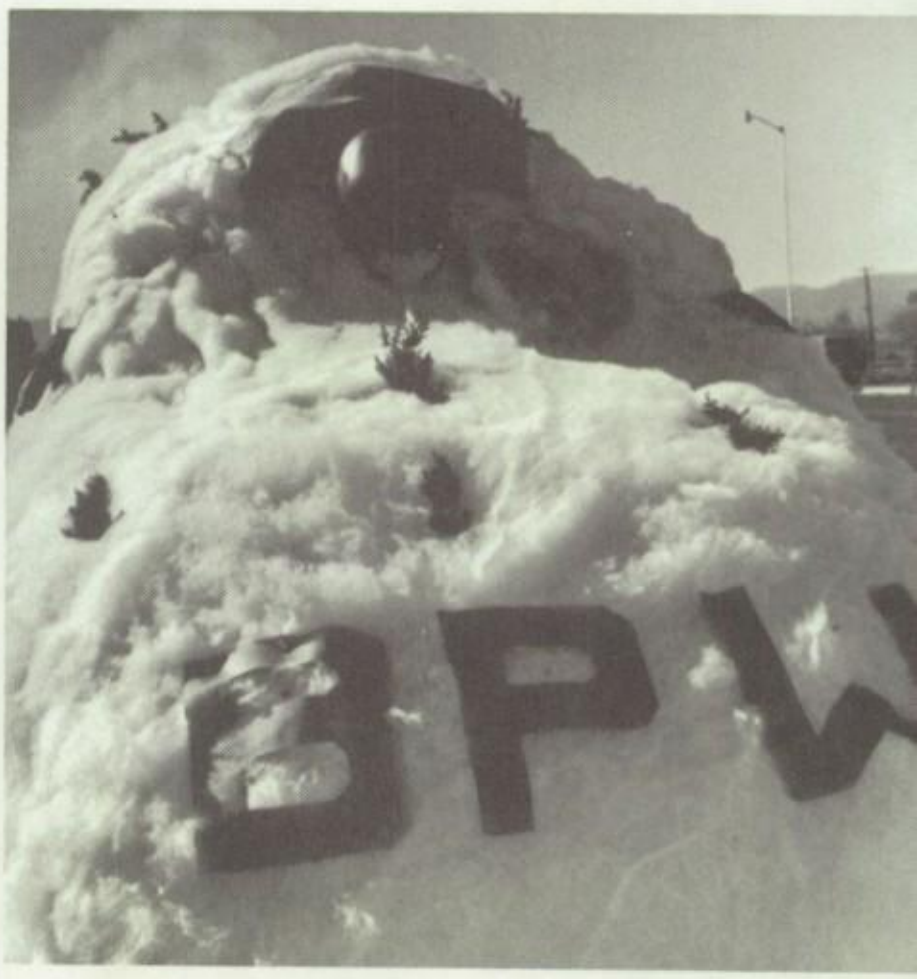
Homecoming

Mr. Grant Brown was master of ceremonies for the half time show. He was assisted by Mrs. Jo An Blair and Senior class president Bille Coleman.

The class of 1937 was represented by Mrs. Marge Hearne, Jack Wiltbank and Mrs. Marian Hansen. Homecoming theme was "30 Years in the White Mountains" in their honor.

Bill Coleman and Barry Williams with N.H.S. Float which won 6th place.

The front of B.P.W.'s float showed a Mountaineer buried in snow. It won 1st place in community category.



Springerville Elementary School's float entered in the homecoming parade was awarded third place in the community category. It featured a "welcome alumni" theme.

Mr. Victor Rubalcaba and the Springerville Elementary Band also participated in the parade and provided more music for enjoyment.

Cadet Rubalcaba
Keep a sharp eye
and ear out
for Field Duck
Bugle calls
See ya around
Karina

Dedicated to Class of '37

First Place was awarded to the Springerville Business and Professional Women's Club with their "Snow 'Em Under" float.

Publications float, entitled "Cage The Mountaineers" was awarded third place in the school category. It featured two Mountaineers in the Apache County Jail.

Members of the Elk Band participated in the parade and added color in the traditional black and gold to make the homecoming parade on of the best in the school's history.

The Round Valley Boosters entered a float with the theme: "The Older Generation Supports the Younger" and was awarded second place in the community category. The float featured a football player Steve Hooper to represent athletics, a senior Corina Smith to represent education, a bandsman Frank Baca to represent music and a mountaineer Wayne Reidhead to represent dramatics.

Athletic Teams Add Extra Splash of Color to School Life

Thirty four varsity Elks turned out for practice and had a most successful season despite the loss of so many teammates from the 1966 team. Twelve freshmen played on the varsity at various times during the season. The team had all its backfield from the 1966 season back but featured an almost completely inexperienced line.

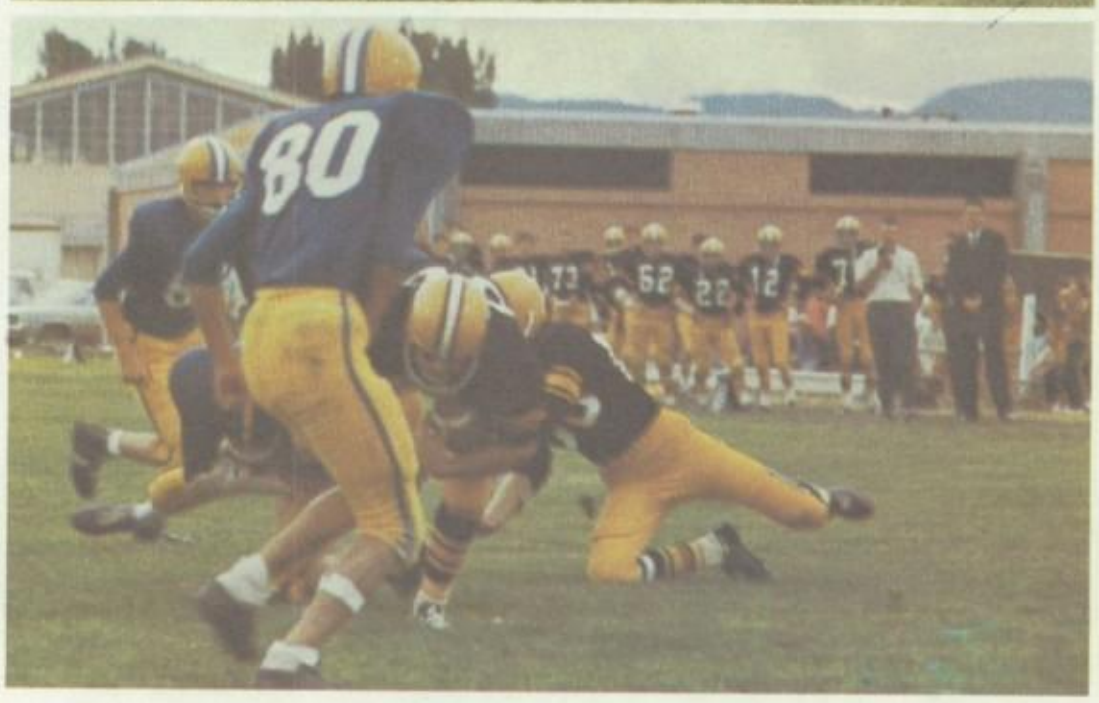
Coached by Rance Smith, Marlin LeSueur, Darwin Slade and Diz Reeves, the team turned in an eight won, one lost record for the season. Victories were won over Sanders, Thatcher, Chinle, Alchesay, Blue Ridge, St. Johns, Reserve (New Mexico) and Duncan. The only loss of the season was to Clifton. The one loss was a heartbreaker as the final score was 16-14.

Back Row: Don LeSueur, Steve Wiltbank, Kayle Hamblin, Steve Slade, James Brown. Second Row: Dale Hall, Rick Savedra, Tommy Baca, Billy Greenwood, Robert Hunt, Robert Perez, and David Walden. Third Row: Clay Blake, Brad Anderson, Jack Judd, Herman Chavez, Dean Wiltbank, Joe Tsosie, Kayle Haws. Fourth Row: Carl Whiting, Tom Judd, Glenn Finch, Travis Lytle, Jack Johnson, Ron Carrillo, Johnny Chavez. Front Row: Bobby Peters, Larry Whitmer, Alan Slade, Charles Wiltbank, Bobby Heydt, Clay Hall, Ron Johnson. Bill Coleman is not pictured.

Coaches Diz Reeves, Rance Smith, Marlin LeSueur and Darwin Slade coaches the Elk football team on to second place in the B East conference.

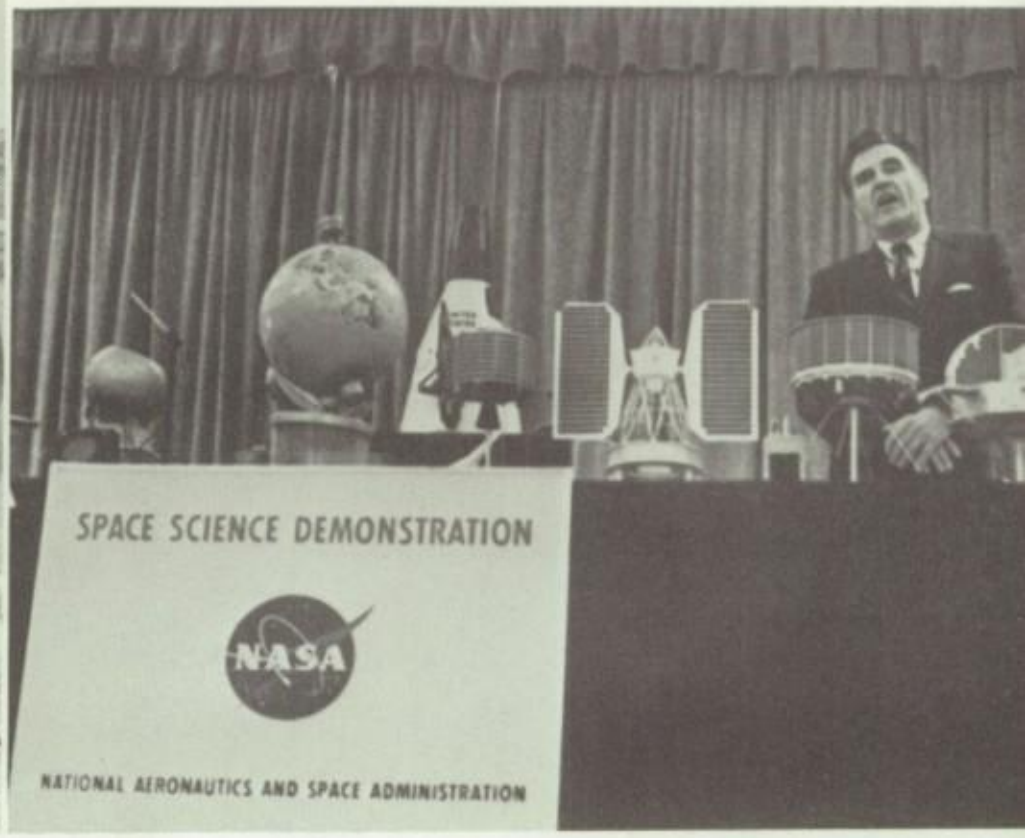
The Elks were victorious in the first game of the season over B North Sanders. Ron Carrillo rushes to help while Johnny Chavez carries the ball. Ron Johnson and Larry Whitmer block for him.

Varsity cheerleaders Janice Waelbroeck, Gloria Queen, Tonna Sherwood and Tana Ashcroft kept Elk spirit and morale high during football season.



Ball carrier Charles Wiltbank gains yardage against Sanders while Alan Slade blocks for him. Members of the Elk team and Coaches LeSueur and Smith look on from the sidelines. The Elks won 31-0.

"Spring Has Sprung . . . and the sap is running" was the theme of a faculty skit at one of the football pep assemblies. Dale Hall assisted Mrs. Bosen as the "babbling brook" and Coach Rance Smith was the "sap". Mr. and Mrs. Coombs were the "lovers".



James Boyle presented a space assembly to the student body on October 19. A representative of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Mr. Boyle told the student body about the most recent advances in space exploration.

Extra-Curricular Activities

Defensive stars were awarded to Elk footballers in pep assemblies for outstanding action in the previous week's game. The black stars decorated the helmets. Seen here receiving stars is Charles Wiltbank while Clay Hall and Coaches LeSueur and Smith look on.

Band members were often seen practicing marching on the field in the early morning hours while preparing for football half time shows.

Mrs. Dude Coombs, sponsor of the local Future Homemakers of America chapter, and her husband, Jay, were the hit of the evening at the Sadie Hawkins Dance held in October. They came dressed as "mountain folks" and posed willingly for the photographer.

The Pom Pon line performed often during football game half times. Here they are seen performing, along with the Elk band at Blue Ridge High School's homecoming game on October 20. The girls also made appearances at many basketball games.

Keep Elks Busy

Bill Coleman was crowned "Li'l Abner" and Zola Merrill, "Daisy Mae", at the Future Homemakers Sadie Hawkins Dance on October 20. The couple was selected by members of the Lettermen's Club and F.H.A.

Two-year old Kelly Gastineau performed with the Pom Pon girls during half time shows at football games.

"Watch out, everyone. Here comes Ryan Palmer with spray starch for your hair!" was a frequent cry heard during initiation time.

14 New Students Enroll at Elkland

Gary Ford, Senior

Maria Martinez, Sophomore

Bruce Ockrassa, Senior

Diania Joy Smith, Sophomore

Pam Baca, Junior

Mary Whitley, Sophomore

Jim Dickinson, Junior

Patricia Bigelow, Freshman

James Flagg, Junior

Bobby Green, Freshman

Milford Bigelow, Sophomore

Ken Sundwall, Freshman

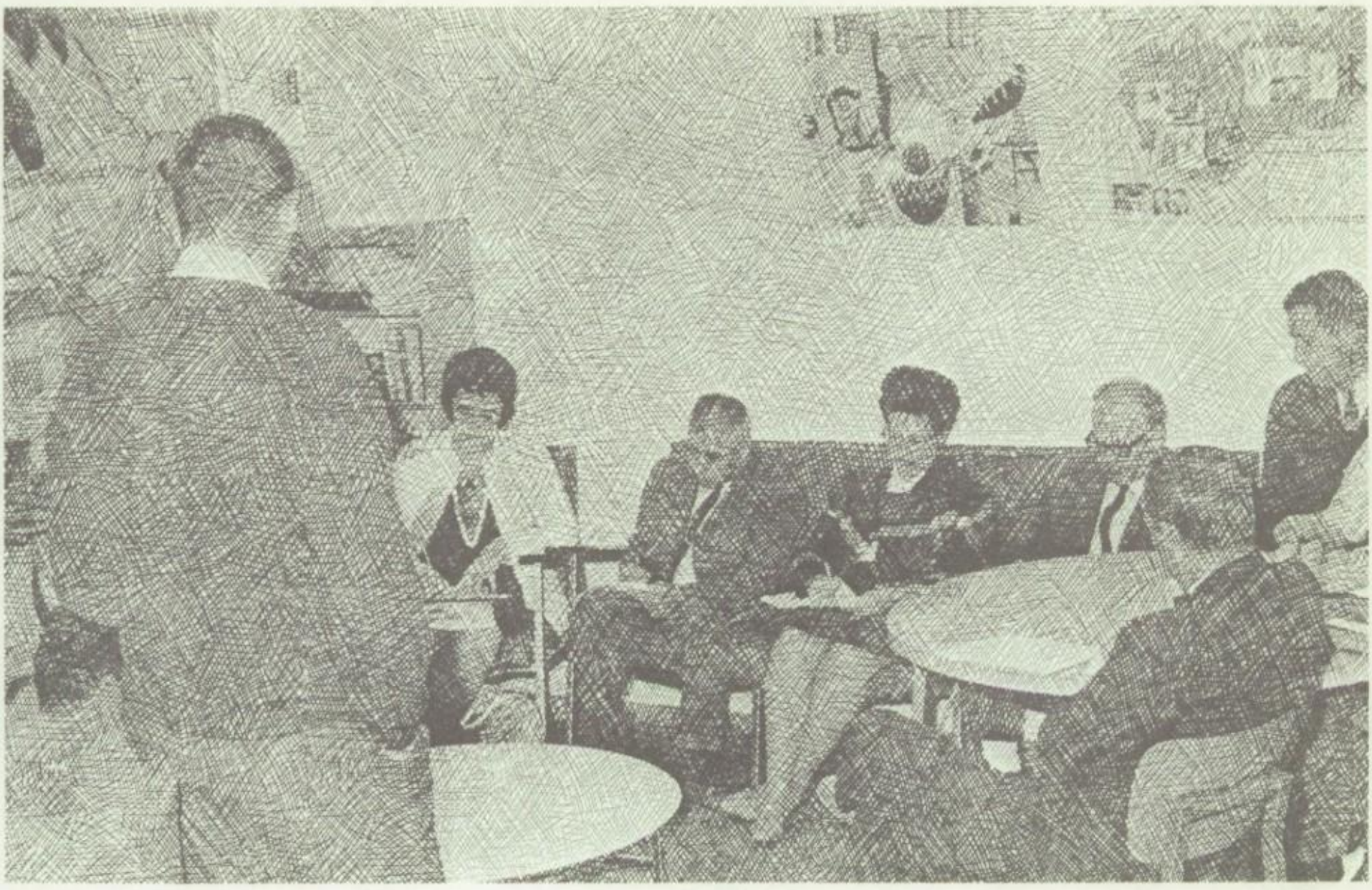
Elsie Gonzales, Sophomore

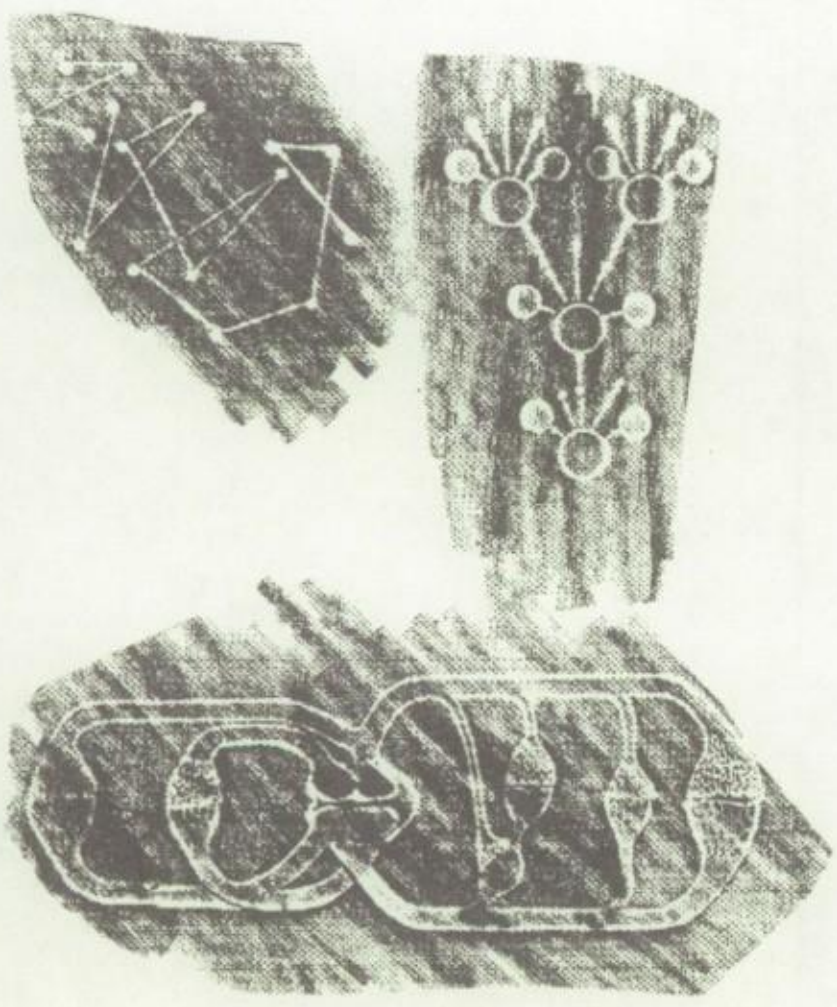
Ken Sundwall, Freshman

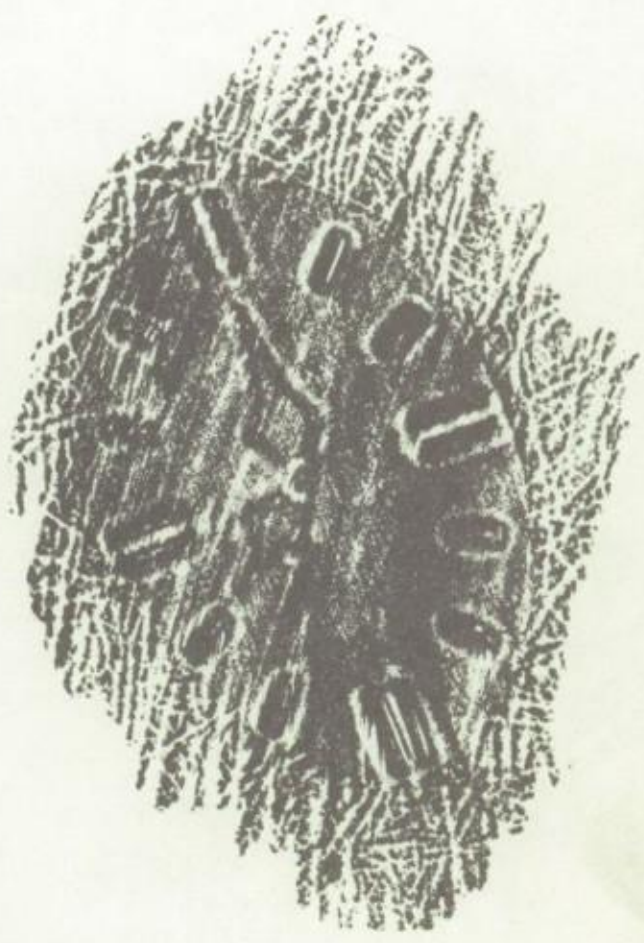
"The Patriots" presented a National Assembly for the student body on December 12. Such songs as "Tom Dooley", "Today" and several other folk songs were featured.

A Brass Quintet from Northern Arizona University at Flagstaff brought culture to Round Valley High on November 20.

"On-the-Job Training" began with second semester. Arturo Retana worked at the Triple S Market in Springerville and is seen here boxing groceries for Spanish teacher Mr. Dick Lewis. Ten students worked at schools, 2 at service stations or garages, 2 at stores and 1 in a professional capacity.







"A time to learn and a time to use what is learned,"

—Ecclesiastes—

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. R. Keith Udall assumed the position of superintendent of all four Apache County high schools in June of 1967. Prior to that, Mr. Udall was superintendent of St. Johns High School.

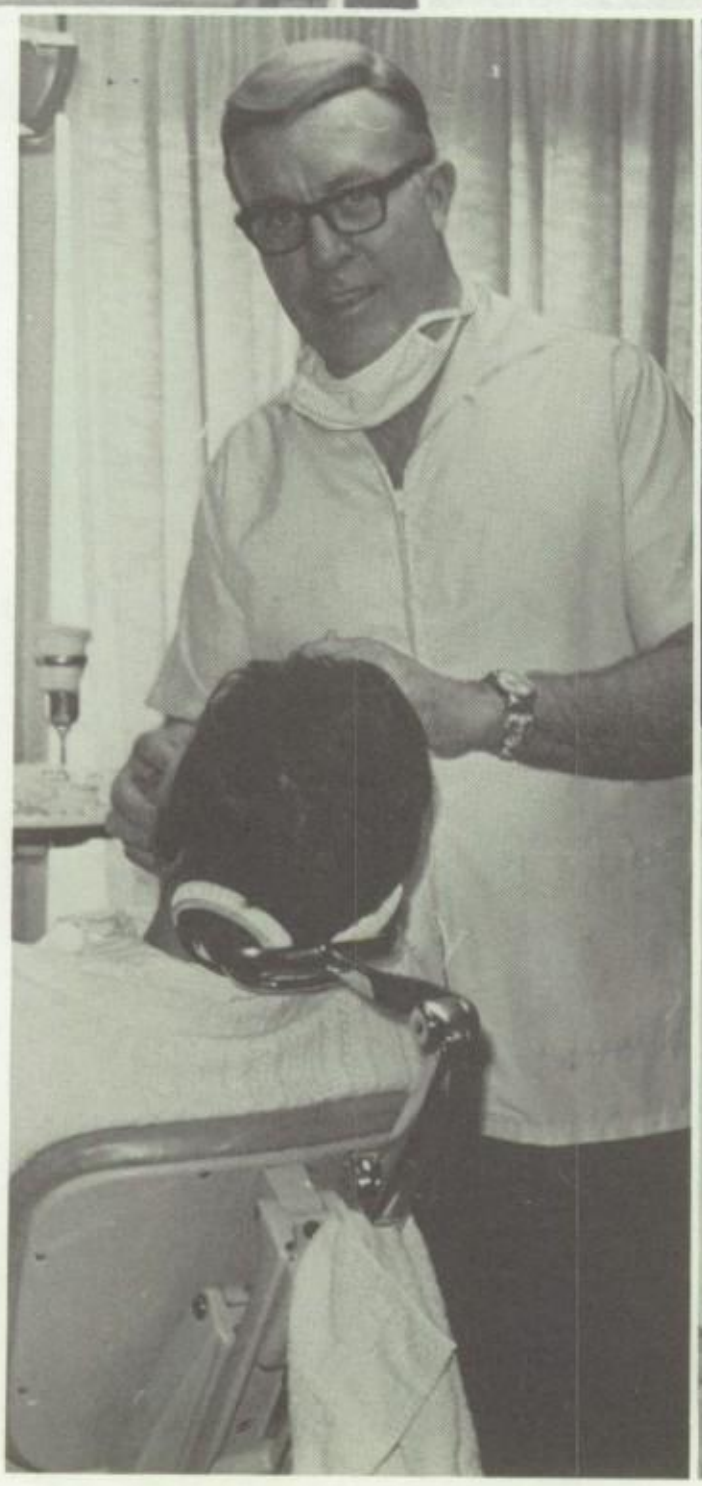
Mr. Larry Sherwood, Eagar, is serving as chairman of the board. Here he is seen at work at his business, Sherwood Locker Plant.

County High School Board Has 1 Superintendent for 4 Schools

Mr. Gus Harrell is completing his second year as fiscal agent for the school board to control finances for the schools.

Two secretaries serve in the county high school office: Mrs. Virginia Lund and Mrs. Elda Wiltbank.

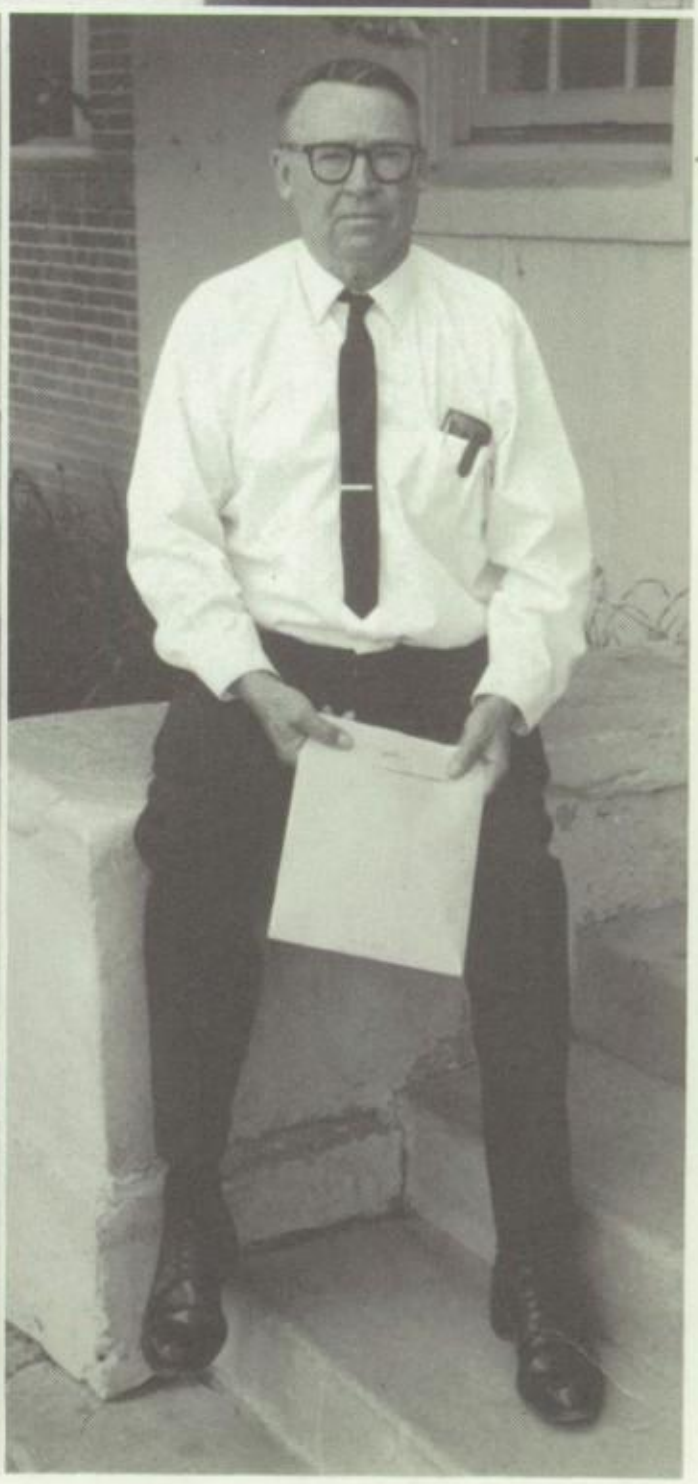
Mr. J. B. Edens, Jr., of McNary, is an official of the Southwest Forest Industries and represents that area on the school board.

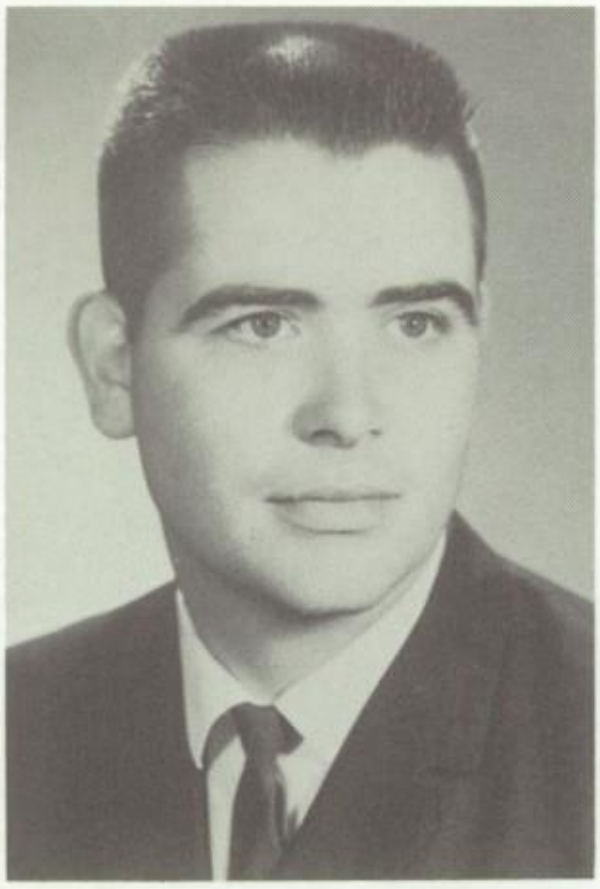


Mr. Merle Harper, of Springerville, is a pharmacist and owner of the Western Drug Company in Springerville. He represents Springerville on the board.

Dr. Jack V. Gibbons, St. Johns, represents St. Johns on the board. He has his dental offices in the 666 Building in Springerville.

Mr. Frank Young, Chambers, represents Sanders and Valley High on the board. He operates a modern restaurant and motel on Highway 66 at Chambers.





Mr. Rance Smith . . . Principal . . . M.E.D. degree, Sul Ross College, Alpine, Texas with a major in Biology . . . Also head football coach with one state football championship to his credit (1966) . . . Seventh year of teaching, second year at Round Valley . . . is married to English Teacher La Rhea Smith and they have two sons, Zane and Rhett . . . Loves all of the sports and being out of doors . . . Often heard saying: "I gotta get you in the know!"

Principal Rance Smith discusses plan for the 1968 Elk yearbook with Editor Floran Becker and Student Body President Larry Whitmer.

Principal Has Variety of Duties

Mrs. Iris LeSueur . . . School Secretary . . . is registrar and person in charge of all financial affairs of the school, its classes and clubs . . . Twelfth year at Round Valley . . . Married with four children and two grandchildren.

Mrs. LeSueur was first assisted in the office by Raydene Younger. Later on in the school year Judy Wiltbank took Raydene's place. Both girls are former students at Round Valley.

Two Travel to England

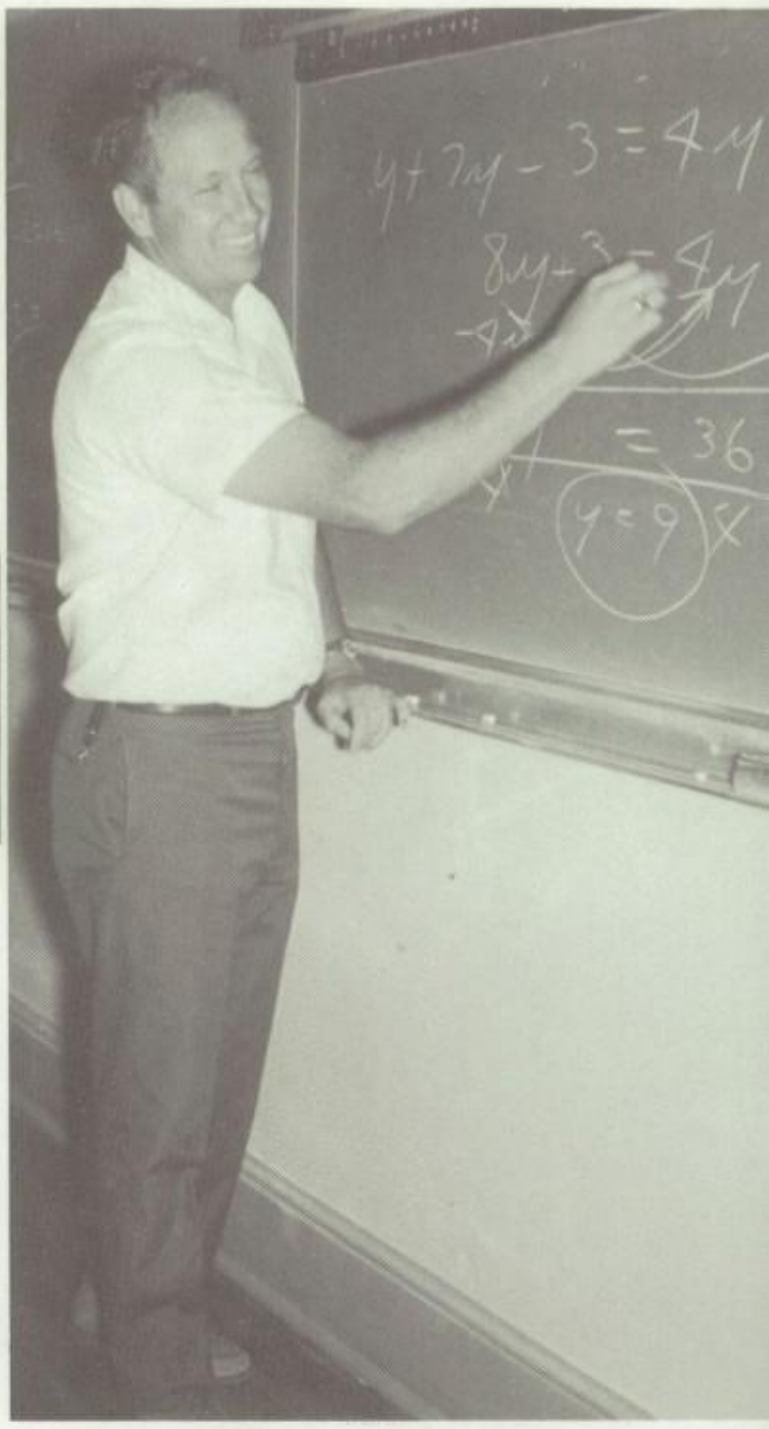
Mrs. Barbara Bosen and Mrs. Jo An Blair spent the month of August in "Jolly Old England" taking a University of California Santa Barbara Extension course in English literature and dramatic arts. The course consisted of studying scripts from 14 plays and then viewing the productions on the English stage. The two teachers flew by jet to London, via New York City, and visited in Chichester, Oxford, Stratford-upon-Avon, Nottingham, and London before returning home just in time for the opening of school.

Mrs. Jo An Blair . . . M.A. Degree, Arizona State University, Tempe . . . Teaches Shorthand, Typing II, Office Practice, Photography . . . Advisor to Quill and Scroll, yearbook and newspaper . . . Enjoys oil painting, making mosaics, photography, producing slide-tape programs on travels, sewing, raising horses . . . Fifteenth year of teaching, fourteenth year at Round Valley . . . Often heard saying: "This isn't a play period!"

Mrs. Barbara Bosen . . . M.A. Degree, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . English III and IV, Librarian . . . Married to Forest Service Administrative Officer Leland Bosen and they have five children . . . Oldest three children are Round Valley High graduates and Todd is a sophomore this year . . . Eighteenth year of teaching twelfth year at Round Valley . . . Often heard saying: "Look, you are seniors. Get ready for college!"

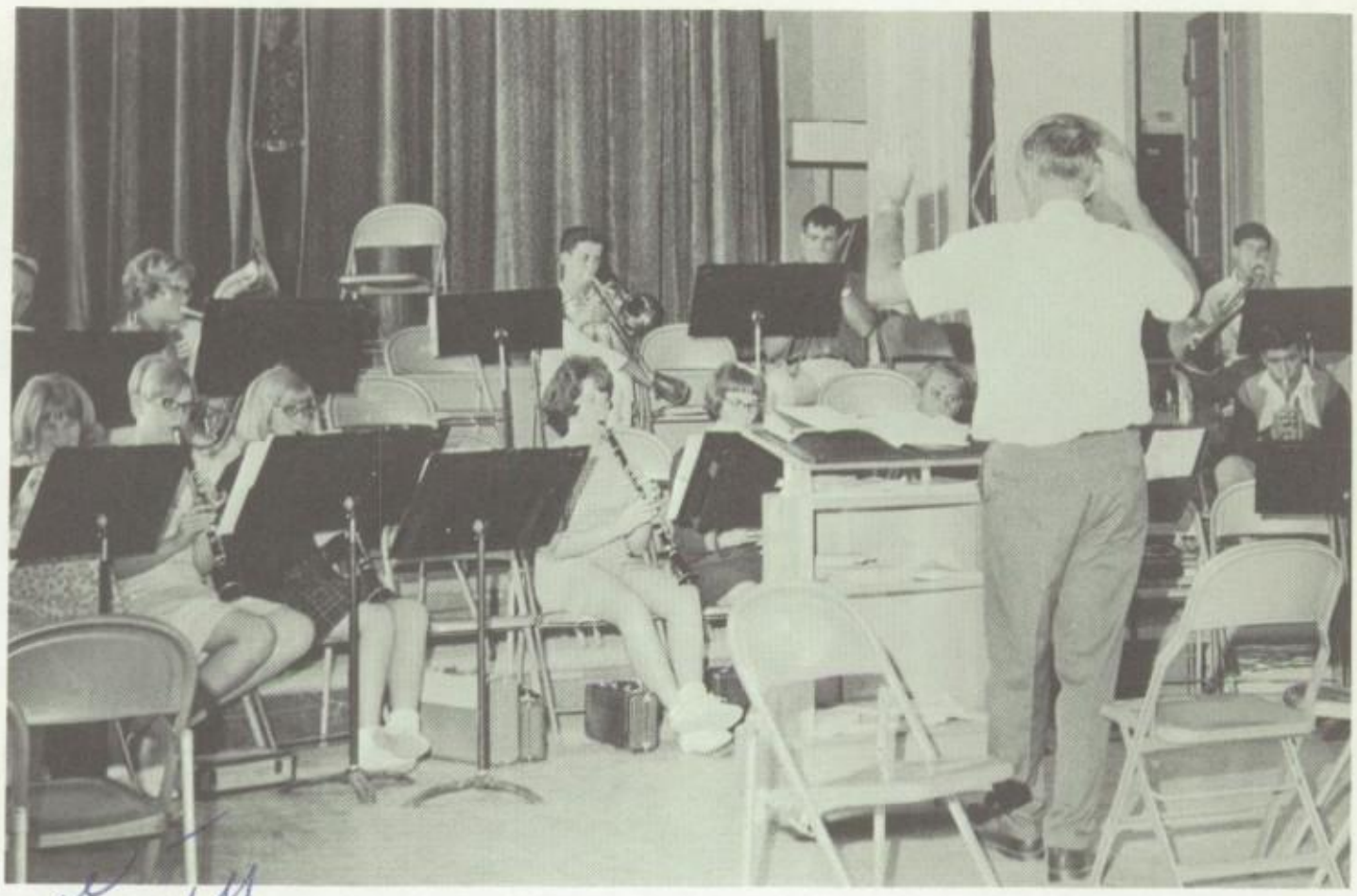
Mr. Grant E. Brown . . . M.I.E. Degree, Utah State University, Logan, . . . Industrial Arts . . . Eleventh year at Round Valley, fifteenth year of teaching . . . Sponsors Senior class, National Honor Society . . . Is Bishop of Eagar 2nd Ward L.D.S. Church . . . Married with eight children . . . Quite opposed to chewing gum and often has students perform "gum burying ritual" in the shop area.

Mr. Jay B. Coombs . . . M.A. Degree, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . Teaches Algebra I and II, Trigonometry . . . Sponsors Student Council, Junior Class . . . Married to Home Economics teacher, Mrs. Dude Coombs, and they have six children . . . Enjoys hunting, fishing and playing ball . . . Seventeenth year of teaching, second year at Round Valley . . . Often heard saying: "To avoid criticism, do nothing, say nothing, be nothing."



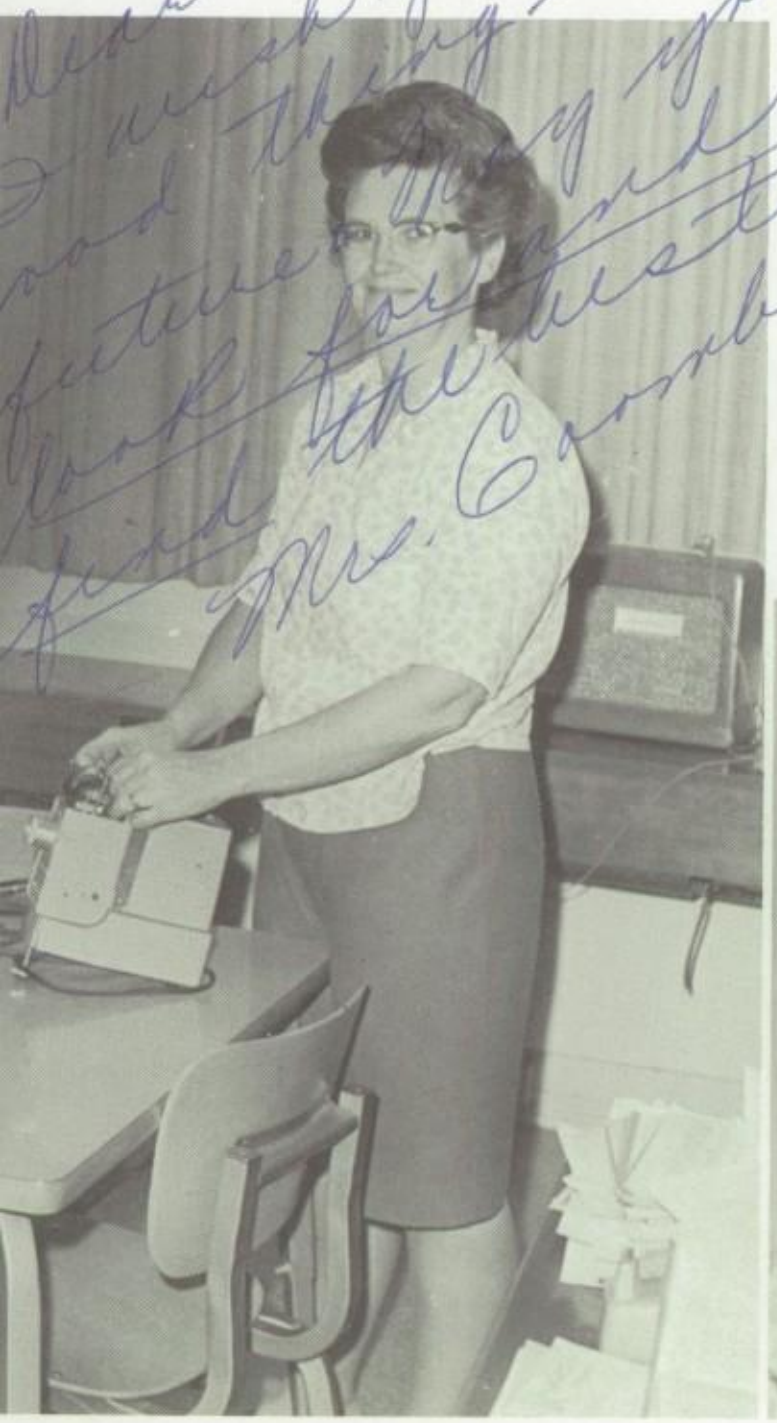
Faculty Becomes Involved

Mr. Brown shows Arnold Moya procedures of operating some of the equipment in Round Valley's very modern, up-to-date industrial arts shop. The facility includes woodworking and metal shops as well as space for mechanical drawing and drafting.



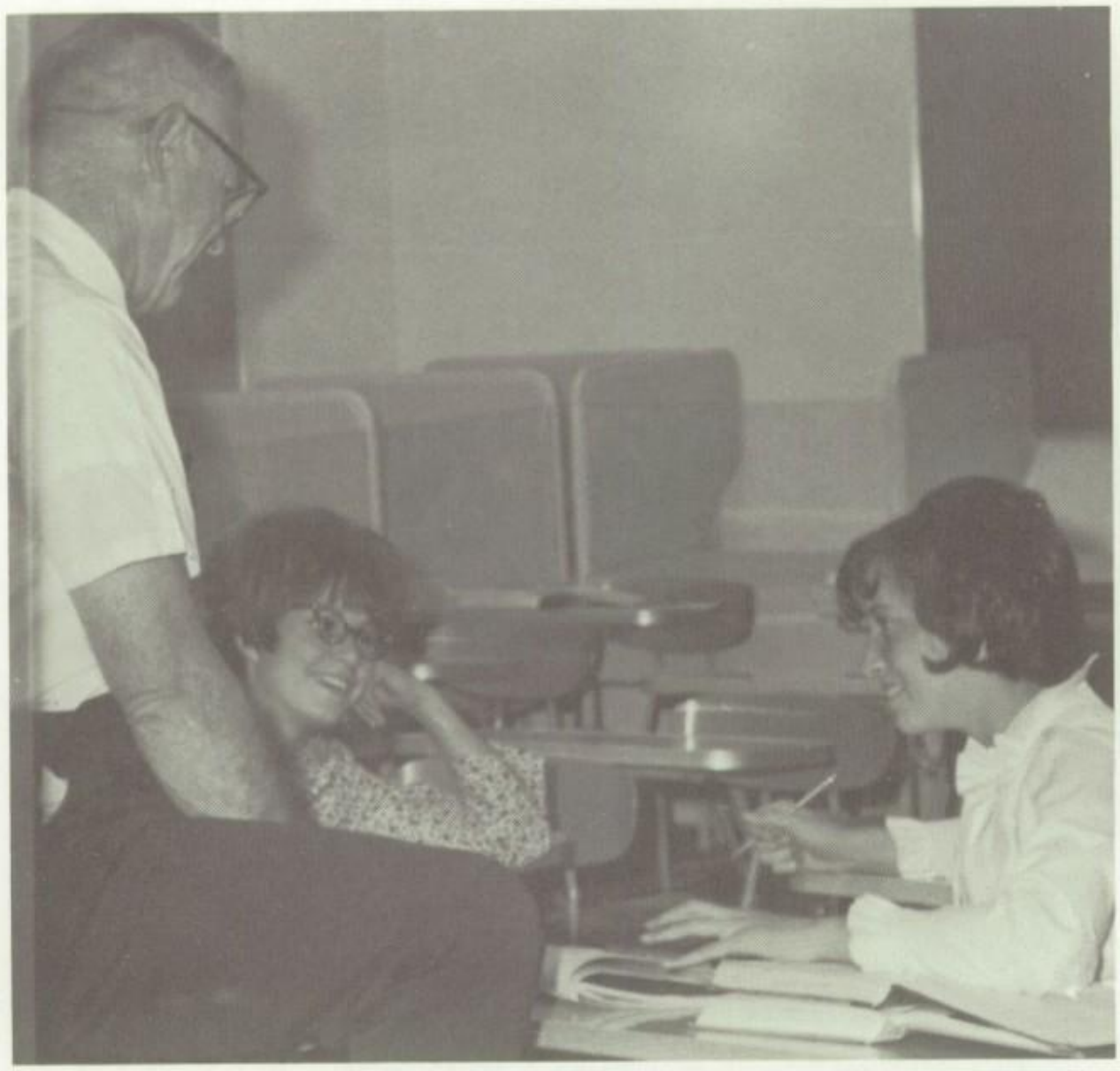
Members of the Elk Band rehearse numbers in the auditorium prior to performing at home football games. All members of the combined band and choir performed with the band except for the football players.

Leadership Provides Continuity



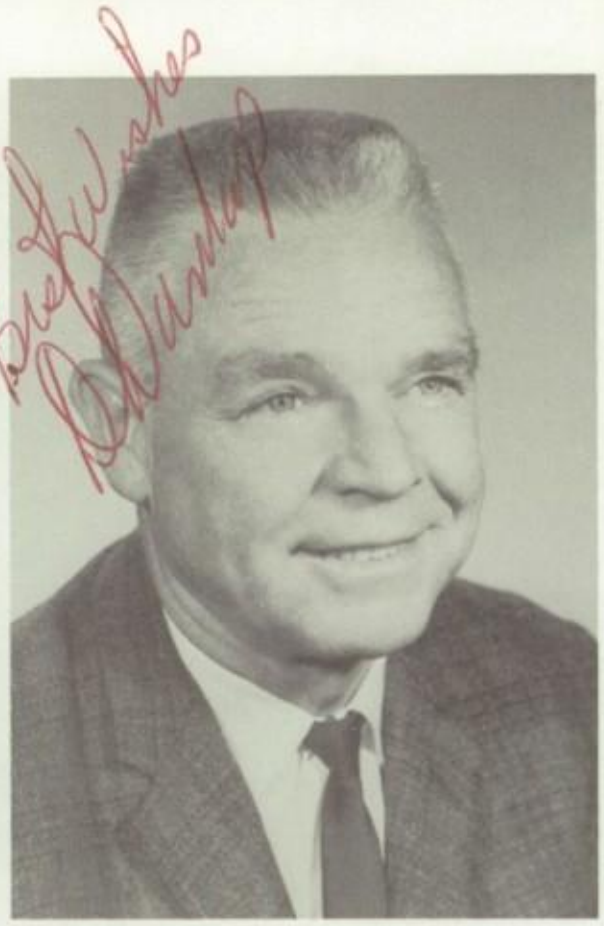
Mrs. Willie Mae ("Dude") Coombs . . . B.S. Degree, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . Teaches Home Economics I,II and III and sponsors Sophomore class and Future Homemakers of America . . . Enjoys reading and movies . . . Married to Jay Coombs, Math teacher at Round Valley, and they have six children. Oldest two are R.V.H.S. graduates and one is a sophomore here . . . Seventh year of teaching, third year at Round Valley . . . Often heard saying: 'Oh, come now."

Mr. Melvin K. DeWitt . . . Working towards a B.A. Degree at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah . . . Teaches Music Appreciation and Theory, Band and Choir and Drama . . . Advisor to Pom Pon Girls and Twirlers . . . Married with five children. Daughter Gayle is a Senior and Diane is a Sophomore . . . Enjoys camping out, reading and having fun . . . Is responsible for many halftime shows at football and basketball games . . . Often heard saying: "Is that the truth?"



Mr. Ellis W. Hamblin . . . B.S. Degree, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah . . . Teaches Chemistry, Biology, Physics and General Math . . Sponsors Junior Class and Science Club . . . Second year of teaching, second year at Round Valley . . . Married to business teacher, Mrs. Pam Hamblin and they have two children . . . Enjoys sports and music . . . Often heard saying: "Gosh" or "Gee".

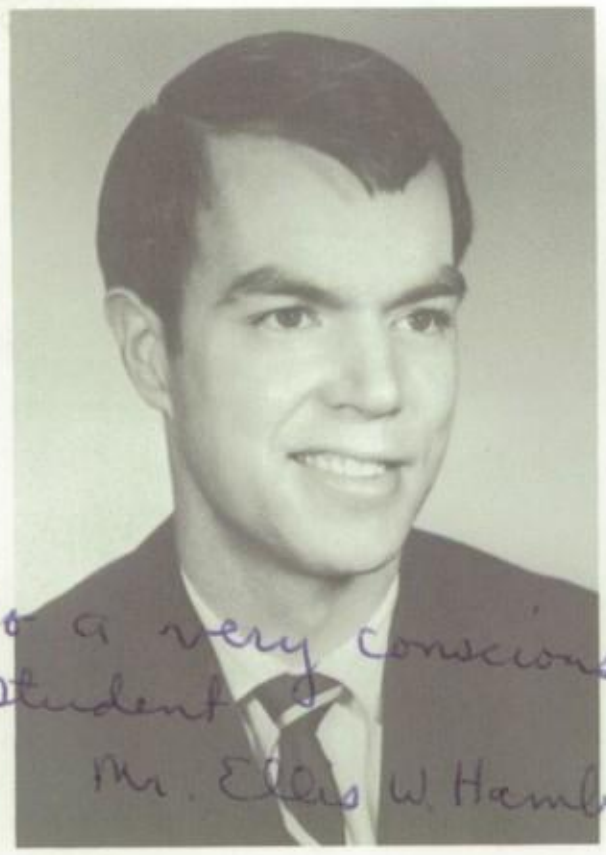
Mr. Dunlap discusses problems in World History with Marta Jirsa and Diana Wise.



Mr. Richard R. Dunlap . . . M.A. Degree Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . Teaches American and World History and Geometry . . . Is audio-visual chairman and a retired Air Force officer . . . Married with no children . . . Tenth year of teaching, second year at Round Valley . . . Enjoys people and can often be heard saying: "Folks" or "as a result".

Guidance Leads

General Math requires some serious thinking on the part of class members Robert Walker, Bruce Smith, and Jim Dickinson. Long multiplication, division, a little bit of algebra and many other functions of basic math are covered.



Mrs. Pamela Hamblin . . . B.S. Degree, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah . . . Teaches Typing I and General Business (first semester) . . . Second year of teaching, first year at Round Valley . . . Married to Science teacher, Mr. Ellis Hamblin, and they have two children . . . Likes to sew in spare time and says she also enjoys sleeping and goofing off when there is time for it . . . Often heard saying: "Get busy".

Mrs. Amelia LeSueur . . . B.S. Degree, University of Arizona, Tucson . . . Teaches Typing I and General Business (second semester) . . Seventh year of teaching, first year at Round Valley . . . Married to rancher, Harold LeSueur, and they have two grade school children . . . Likes to knit in spare time and is often heard saying: "Anything worth doing is worth doing well."

General Business classes debated the question: "Is it better to save and pay cash than to buy on credit?"

to Efficiency

Mr. Marlin V. LeSueur . . . M.A. Degree, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . Guidance Counselor . . . Boys P.E. . . . Head basketball coach, assistant football coach . . . Sponsors Lettermen's Club . . . Twelfth year of teaching, sixth year at Round Valley . . . Married and the father of two sons and two daughters . . . Enjoys all sports and leather craft . . . Often heard saying: "You've got to abide by the rules."

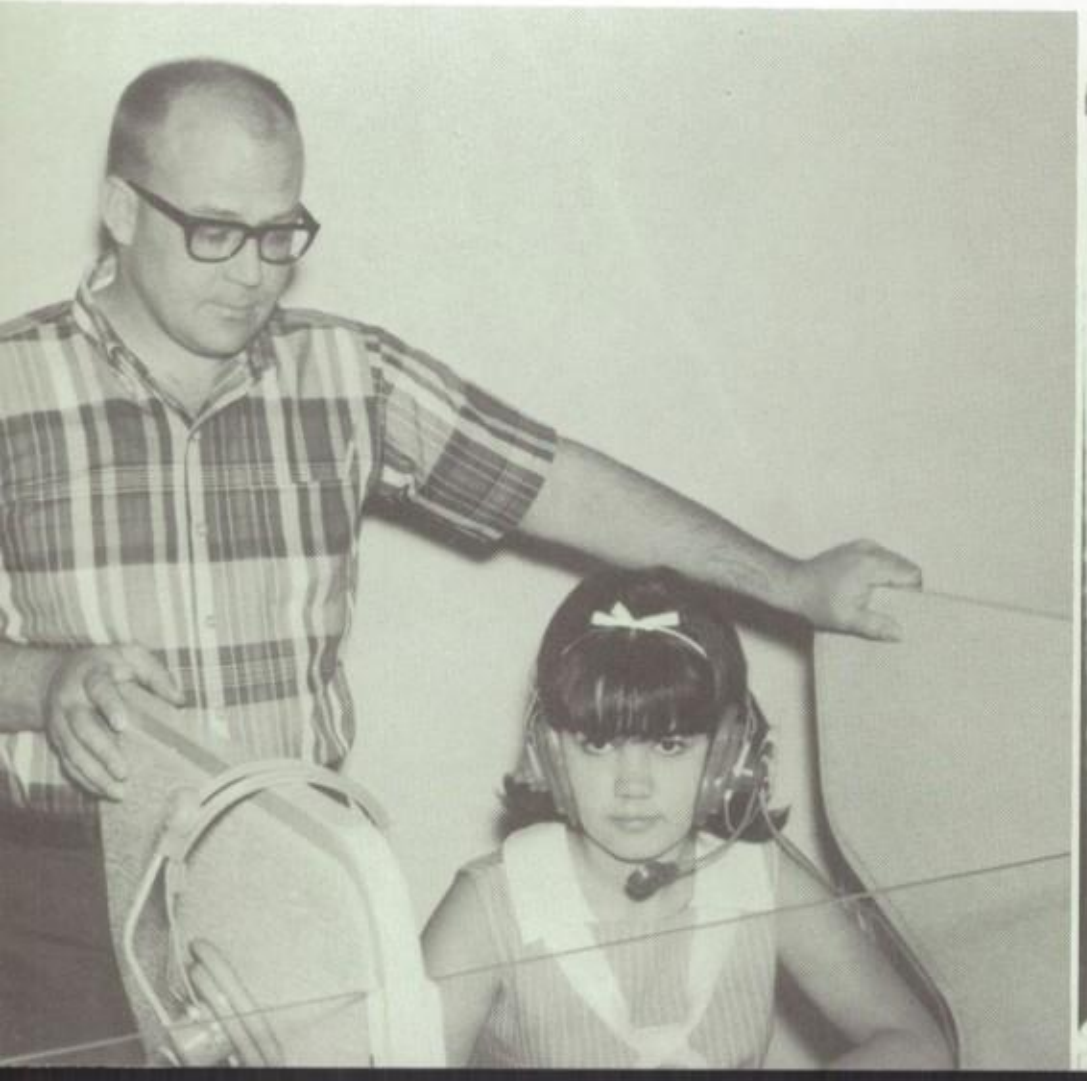
Floran Becker worked in the Guidance Office for Guidance Counselor Mr. Marlin LeSueur as a part of her vocational office practice course. She spent many hours typing, filing and keeping student records in order.

Mr. Richard L. Lewis . . . B.S. Degree, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah . . . Teaches Spanish I, II and III and Earth Science . . . Sponsors Freshman Class and is assistant newspaper advisor . . . Fifth year of teaching, third year at Round Valley . . . Married and has three daughters . . . Enjoys rock collecting, fishing, hunting and skiing . . . Often heard making the profound statement of "Golly".

Mr. Sam O. Madariaga . . . M.A. Degree, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff . . . Teaches American Government, Girls and Boys P.E. . . . Sponsors Senior Class and is a track coach . . . Bookstore manager . . . Fourteenth year of teaching, fourteenth year at Round Valley . . . Married with a son and two daughters . . . Enjoys hunting and fishing and runs El Rio Theatre in his spare time . . . Often heard saying: "You've got to be a bonafide citizen!"

Earphones, Worms, By Faculty Members

Mr. Lewis assists Spanish III student Elizabeth Nava with a lesson through use of earphones and the language laboratory equipment.



Coach Sam has members of his Boys P.E. Class work with weight lifting equipment. Here we see Milford Bigelow developing muscles.

Mr. Diz E. Reeves . . . B.S. Degree, Sul Ross State College, Alpine, Texas . . . Teaches Biology, Drivers Education, Health Education, Boys P.E. . . . Sponsors Freshman Class and Lettermen's Club . . . Assistant football coach, junior varsity basketball coach and head baseball coach . . . Married to Mrs. Tommye Reeves (who sponsors Junior Varsity cheerleaders) and they have three children . . . Spends free time studying about baseball, hunting, fishing and winning games . . . Fifth year of teaching, first year at Round Valley . . . Often heard saying: "Tree-mendous!"

"Earthworms, ugh!" could often be heard during dissecting lessons in Mr. Reeves' Biology classes. Jimmy Finch, Wanda Gilliam, Louise Brannon and Evelyn Judd watch as Coach Reeves shows them how dissecting is accomplished.

Visual Aids Used to Liven Up Classes

Mrs. La Rhea Smith spent considerable time in Sophomore English classes discussing Shakespeare's plays. Here we see her discussing Julius Caesar with Diania Smith, Gary Thompson and Milford Bigelow.

Mrs. La Rhea Smith . . . B.S. Degree, Sul Ross State College, Alpine, Texas . . . Teaches Freshman and Sophomore English . . . Sponsors Sophomore class and Varsity Cheerleaders . . . Married to Coach Smith and they have two sons . . . Sixth year of teaching, second year at Round Valley . . . Noted for her Texas accent.

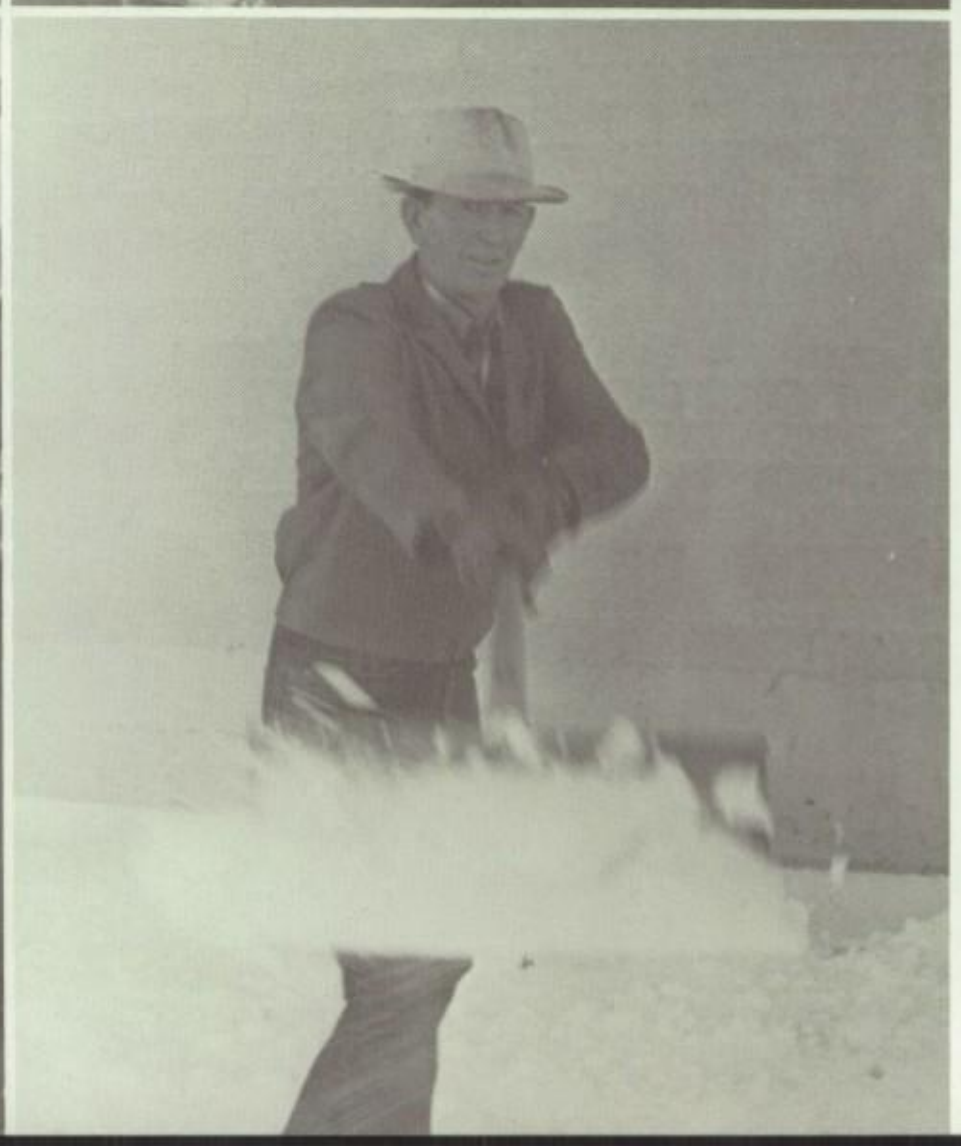
Staff Helpful, Considerate

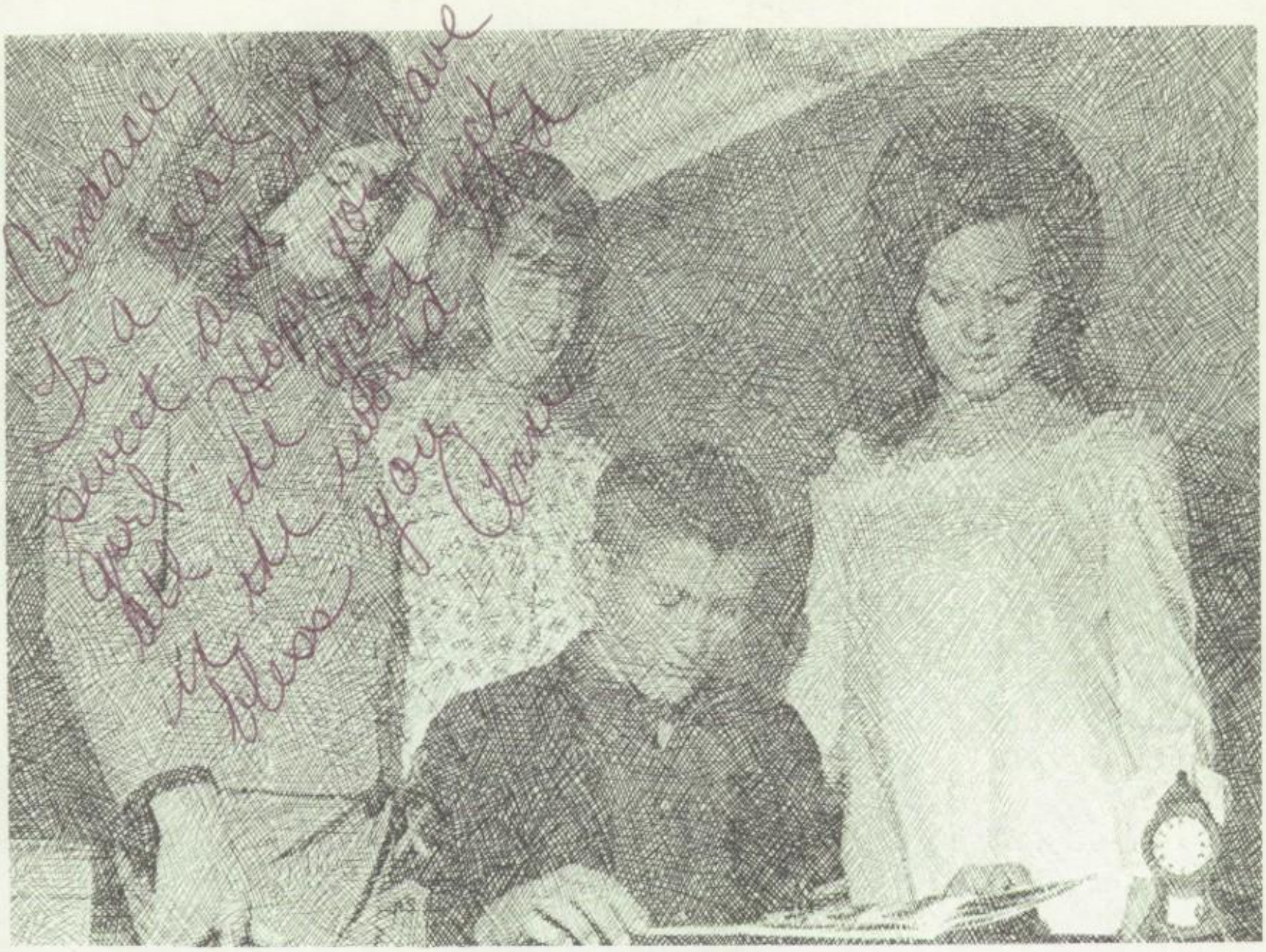
Mrs. Nedra Burk . . . Assistant Librarian . . . Third year at Round Valley . . . Married with three children. Mrs. Burk works with the card catalog to help students.

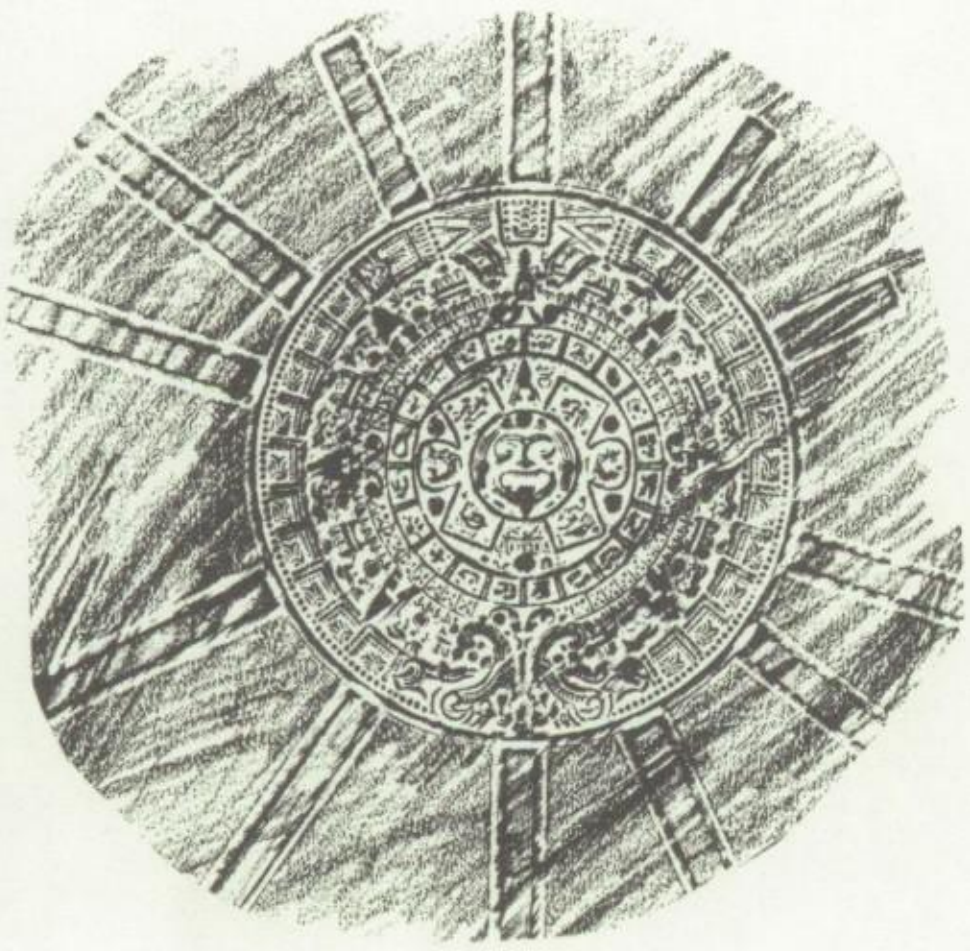
Mr. Clarence Jepson . . . Bus driver, gym custodian . . . Eleventh year at Round Valley . . . Married with four children . . . Clarence prepares to take students to lunch.

Mr. Teo Carrillo . . . Head Custodian . . . Seventh year at Round Valley . . . Married with eight children. Teo adjusts one of the gym heaters as part of his duties.

Mr. Shirley Winsor . . . Assistant custodian, bus driver . . . First year at Round Valley . . . Married with five grown daughters, two grandchildren at R.V. Shovels snow!







"A time to rejoice, marvel, laugh and cry at the same time."

—Author Unknown—

"Time, you old gypsy man,
Will you not stay,
Put up your caravan
Just for one day?"

—Ralph Hodgson—

SENIORS

Seniors

Senior class officers get together on the front steps to make plans for selling candy to supplement the class treasury. As president of the class of 1968, Bill Coleman held the reigns. Floran Becker was vice-president while Alice Burk served as secretary-treasurer. Class senators were Zola Merrill, Madeline Hall and Becky Silva.

MARY ALICE BURK, Secretary-Treasurer
"Alice"

"The highest of distinctions is service to others."
–King George VI–

MADELINE GAYLE HALL, Senator
"Maz"

"The greatest thing in the world is to know how to be self-sufficient."
–Montaigne–

TANA FAY ASHCROFT
"Tana"

"There is no substitute for talent. Industry and all the virtues of no avail."
–Aldous Leonard Huxley–

GRACIE ANN BECKER
"Gracie"

"One of the pleasantest things in the world is going a journey, but I like to go by myself."
–William Hazlett–

Plan for Graduation, 1968

BILL A. COLEMAN
"Bill"

"To have a thing is nothing, if you've not had the chance to show it, And to know a thing is nothing, unless others know you know it."
–Source Unknown–

FLORAN JEANINE BECKER, Vice-President
"Blondie"

"And sweet girl graduates in their golden hair."
–Alfred Lord Tennyson–

ZOLA GRACE MERRILL, Senator
"Zolie"

"A horse! A horse! My kingdom for a horse!"
–Richard III–

REBECCA MARIE SILVA, Senator
"Beck"

"She has brown hair and speaks small like a woman."
–Shakespeare–

MARLENE ZERUE BURNS
"Za Room"

"Never tell your resolution before."
–John Selden–

RONALD ANTHONY CARRILLO
"Ronnie"

"There are worse in life than a tumble on heather. And life is itself but a game of football."
–Sir Walter Scott–

Advisors Aid in Initiation

GERTRUDE MOYA CHAVEZ
"Gertie"

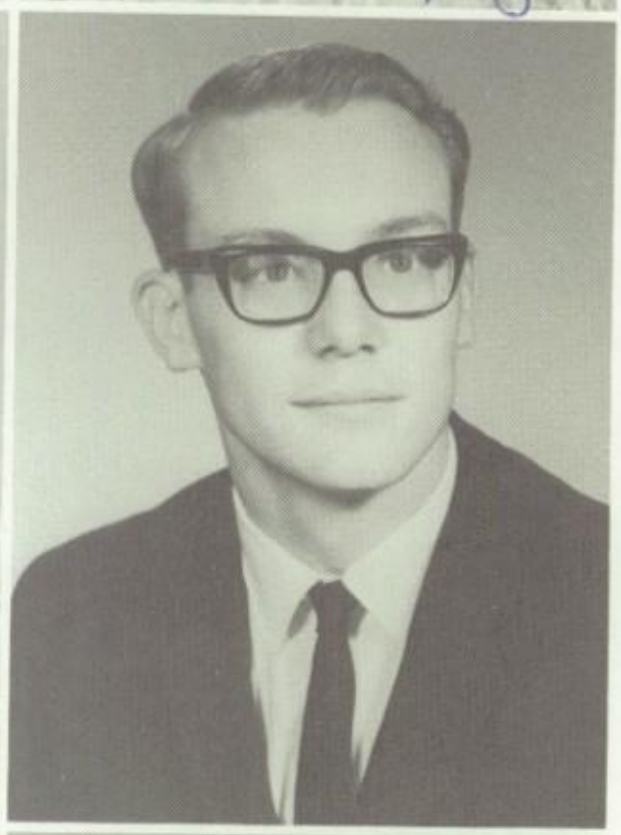
"There would be no great ones if there were no little ones."
—Herbert—

GAYLE DE WITT
"Gayle"

"And she shall have music wherever she goes."
—Gammer Gurton's Garland—

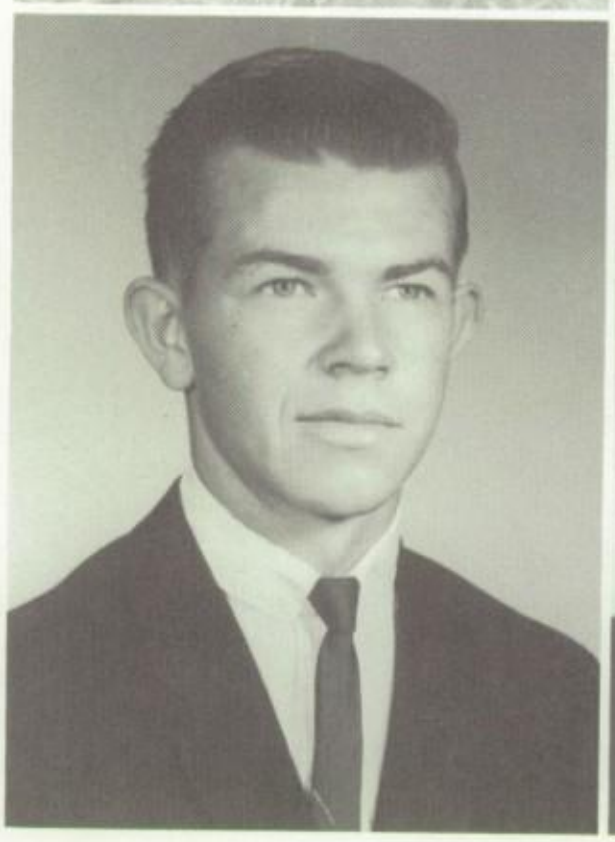
PATSY JO EAGAR
"Pat"

"A women's work is never done."
—Proverbs—



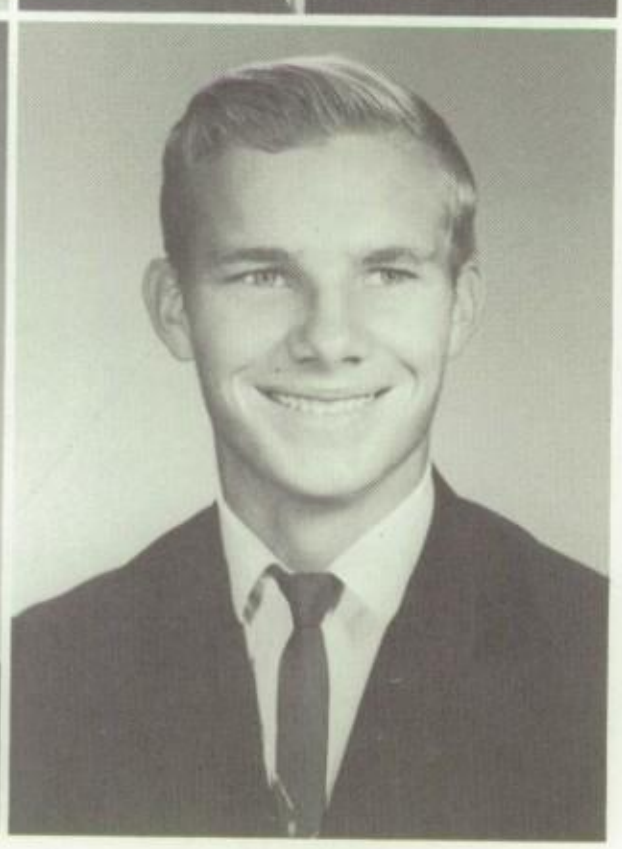
DAVID LEE GILLESPIE
"Dave"

"Nothing succeeds like success."
—Alexandre Dumas The Elder—



MARLYN BRENT HALL
"Brent"

"A woman would run through fire and water for such a kind heart."
—Shakespeare—

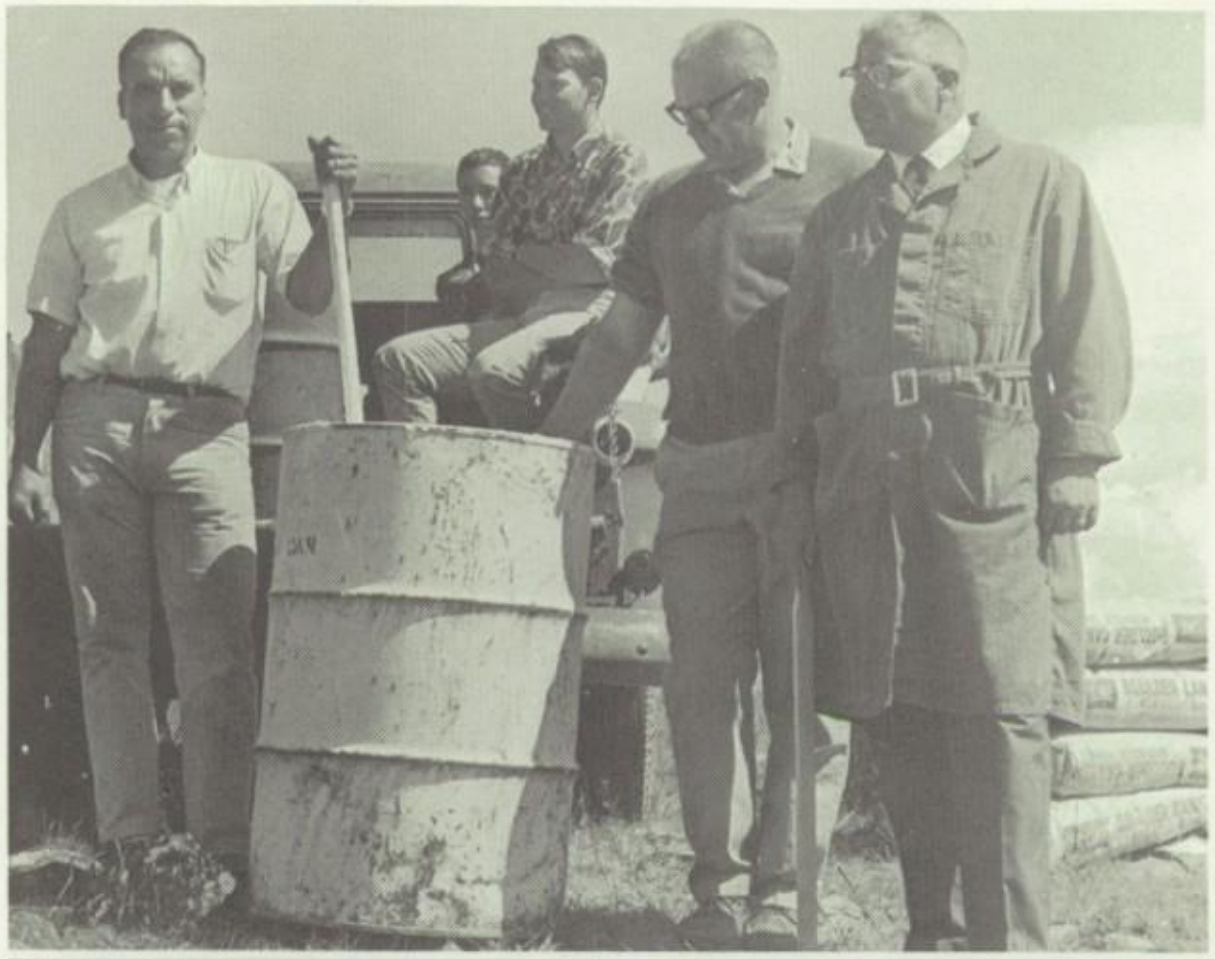


WALLACE CLAY HALL
"Clay"

"Out of eater come forth meat, and out of the strong came forth sweetness."
—Judged—

# of Frosh

The senior class was ably assisted in all its projects by Coach Sam Madariaga and Mr. Grant Brown. In addition to helping with fund raising projects and graduation, the two were up on R.V. hill on initiation day to advise with the whitewashing of the school's letters. Freshman advisor, Mr. Richard Lewis, was also there.



LINDA JEANETTE HARRIS
"Lin"

"I look upon every day to be lost, in which I do not make a new acquaintance."
–Samuel Johnson–

GWENDA SUE HICKMAN
"Gwenda"

"There is more pleasure in loving than in being loved."
–Fuller–

JOHN MILTON HITCKCOCK
"Milt"

"We know nothing of tomorrow; our business is to be good and happy today."
–Si Sydney Smith–

SHARYL LIN HOOPER
"Sharyl"

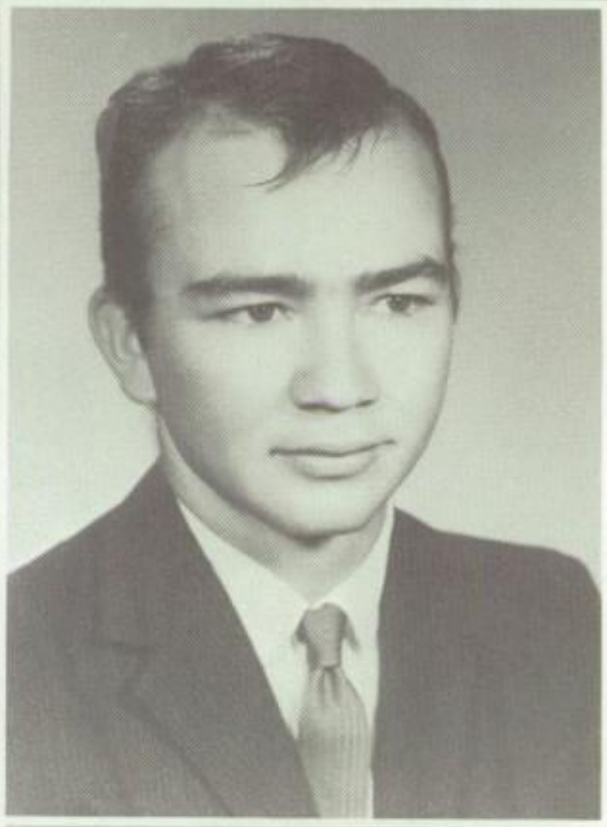
"The secret of success is constancy of purpose."
–Benjamin Disraeli–

Many

Class members took two bus trips to St. Johns in the fall. One was for the purpose of taking the A.C.T. test for college entrance and the other for attending Senior Day at St. Johns High School. Representatives from many of the Arizona colleges and universities were there to tell about their schools and recruit students.

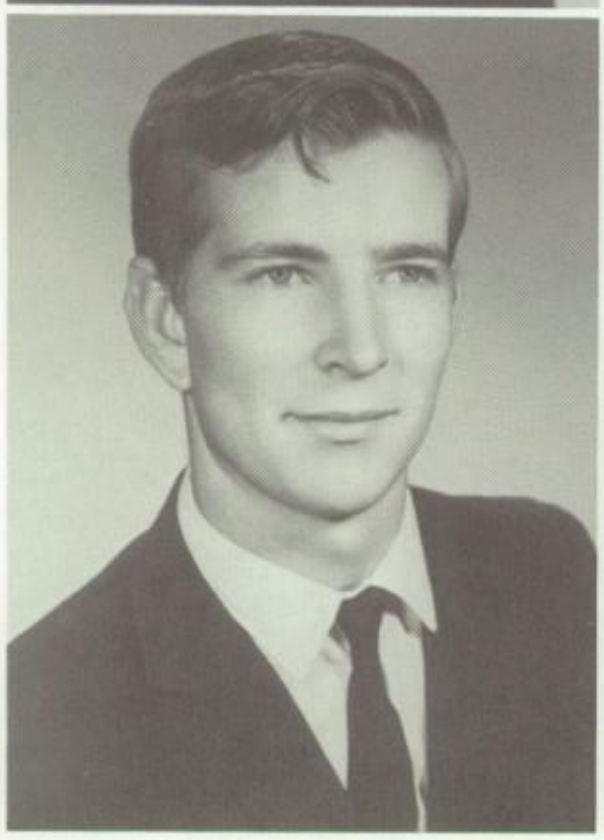
THOMAS DOUGLAS KELLETT
"Doug"

"To know is nothing at all; to imagine is everything."
—Anatole France—



HUGH JOE MC CALL
"Hughie"

"The land of the heart is the land of the West."
—George Morris—



BARTHOLD KAY MANGUM
"Bart"

"Oh, call if by some better name, For friendship sounds too cold."
—Sir Thomas More—

SHIRLEY ANN MATTHEWS
"Shirley"

"Fair and softly goes far."
—Proverbs—

Trips Keep Seniors on-the-Go

DORIS DE RAE NELSON
"De Rae"

"If a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her."
–Corinthians I–

WENDELL RYAN PALMER
"Ryan"

"Life is not life at all without delight."
–Patmore–

DENNIS RODNEY PENROD
"Unc"

"Honesty rare as a man without self-pity, Kindness as large and plain as a prairie wind."
–Stephen Vincent Benet–

BOBBY GENE PETERS
"Bobby"

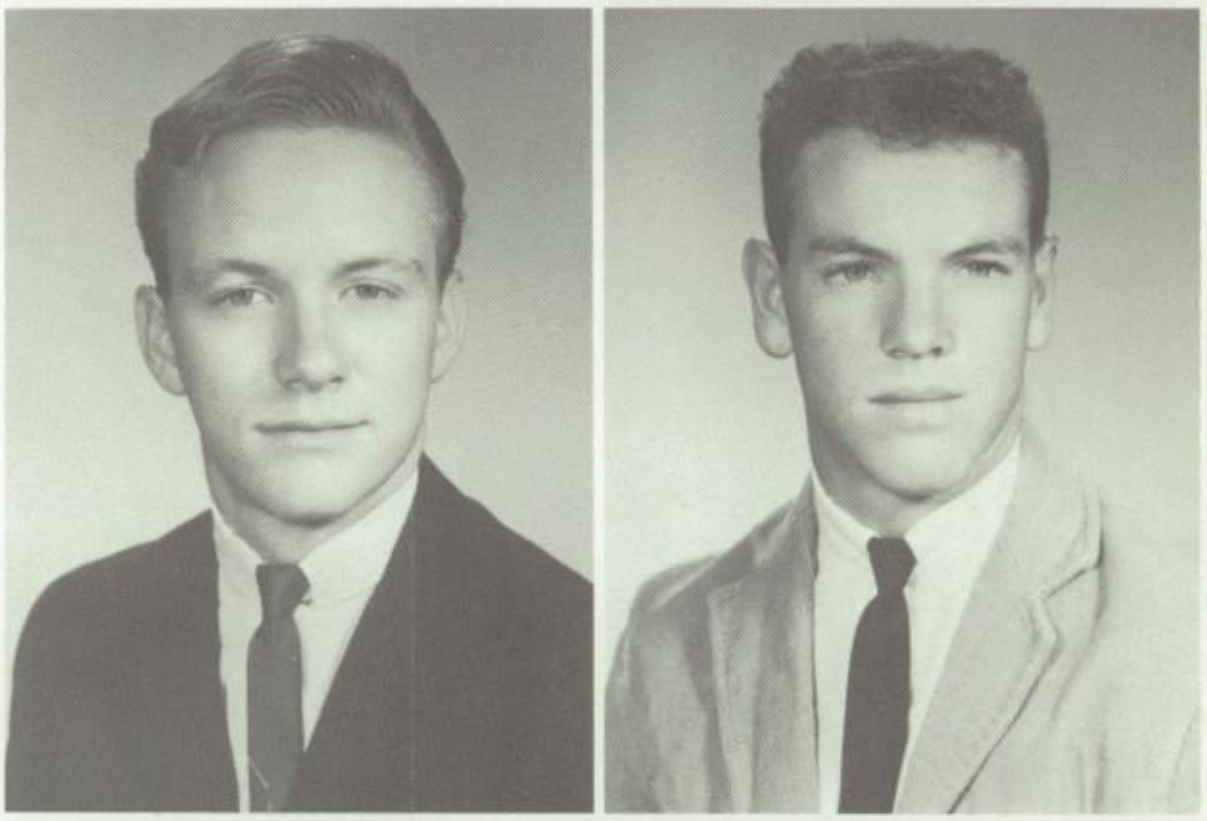
"Speech is silver but silence is golden."
–Proverbs–

GLORIA DIANNE QUEEN
"Glo"

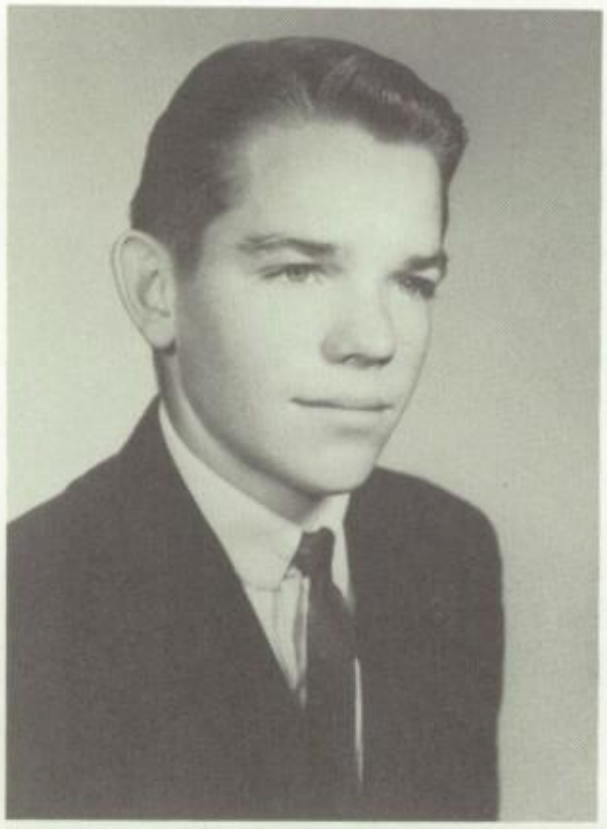
"The sweetest garland to the sweetest maid."
–Thomas Tickell–

RONALD LYNN RIDDLE
"Ronnie"

"A gentleman that loves to hear himself talk."
–Shakespeare–



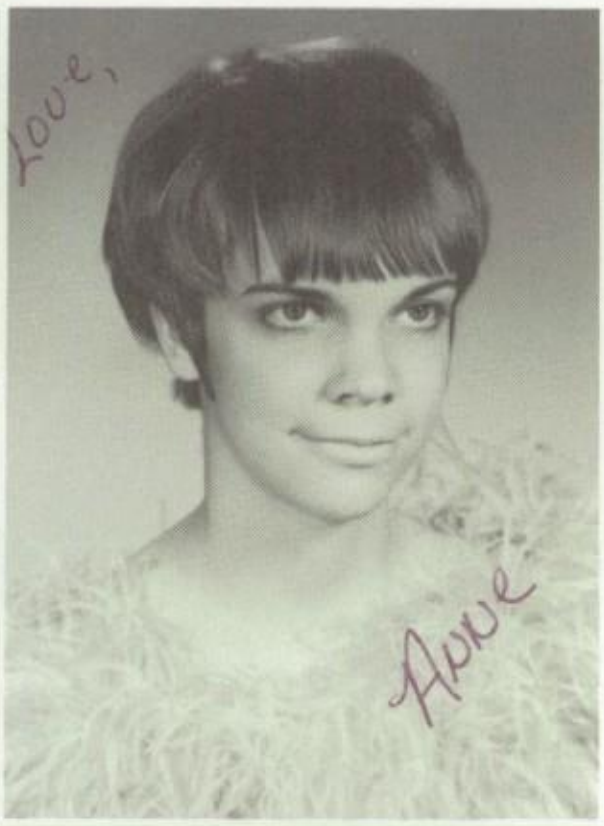
Fund-Raising Time Consuming



WAYNE LESTER REIDHEAD
"Wayne"

"It is a point of wisdom to be silent when occasion requires, and better than to speak, though never so well."
–Plutarch–

Money-Making events were high on the priority list of senior events during the school year. A special kind of chocolate candy was sold by class members to raise funds for the class treasury. Seniors participated in other school sponsored fund-raising events such as selling flower bulbs for the yearbook staff, pillows and raffle tickets for the Lettermen's Club, and many participated in concessions at most of the sporting events.



ARTURO MARTINEZ RETANA, JR.
"Art"

"Life is not so short but that there is always time enough for courtesy."
–Letters & Social Aims–

ANNE ELIZABETH ROGERS
"Anne"

"Patience is the best remedy for every trouble."
–Plautus–

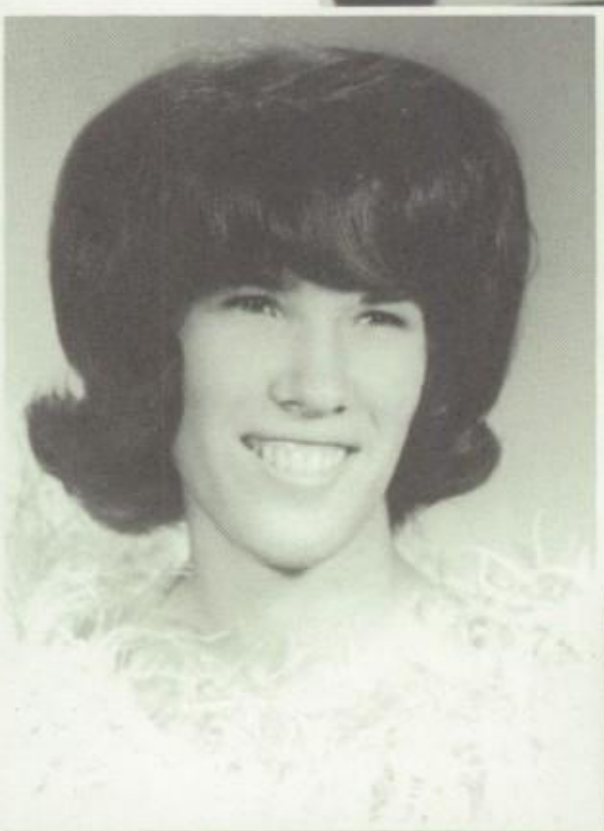
SHERRY JEAN ROGERS
"Sherry"

"Her voice was ever soft, Gentle, and low– an excellent thing in woman."
–Shakespeare–

TONNA LARRE SHERWOOD
"Tonna"

"Music my rampart and my only one."
–Beethoven–

Many seniors participated in fund-raising events during the school year. Tonna Sherwood, Gloria Queen and Becky Silva display some of the merchandise that was sold: flower bulbs for the yearbook staff and chocolate candy for the class treasury.



LEOLA SLADE
"Leola"

"Happiness was born a twin."
–Lord Byron–

RAY DEAN SLADE
"Ray"

"Good health and good sense are two of life's greatest blessings."
–Publilius Syrus–

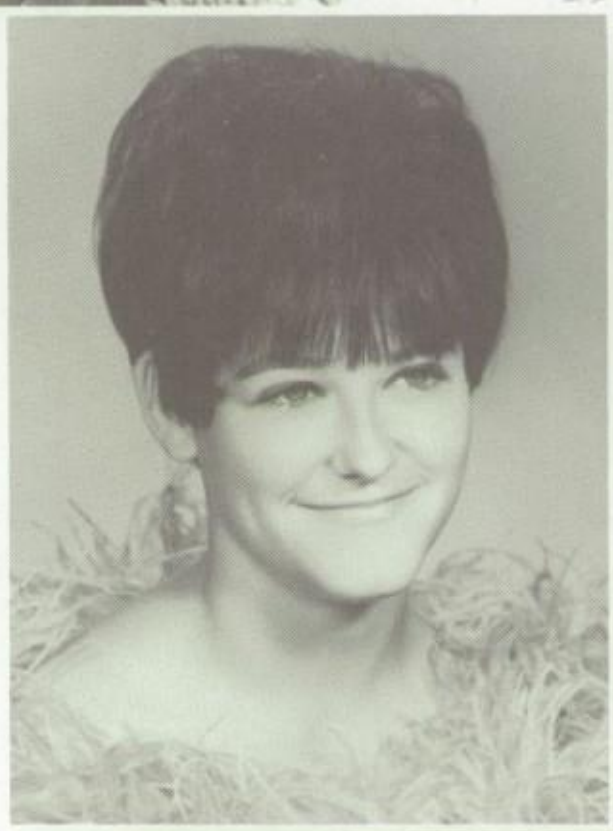
CORRINE CORONA SMITH
"Corrine"

"Absence sharpens love, presence strengthens love."
–Fuller–

HELEN CORONA SMITH
"Helen"

"Her smile is the sweetest that ever was seen."
–Richard Ryan–

Key jewelry arrived for the Seniors in November and gave them that added bit of glamor afforded to their upperclass status. A float, featuring a protest doll, was built by the class for homecoming and won second place.



BONNIE JO TIPTON
"B. J."

"Variety's the very spice of life,"
—William Cowper—

ROXANNA WELCH
"Roxie"

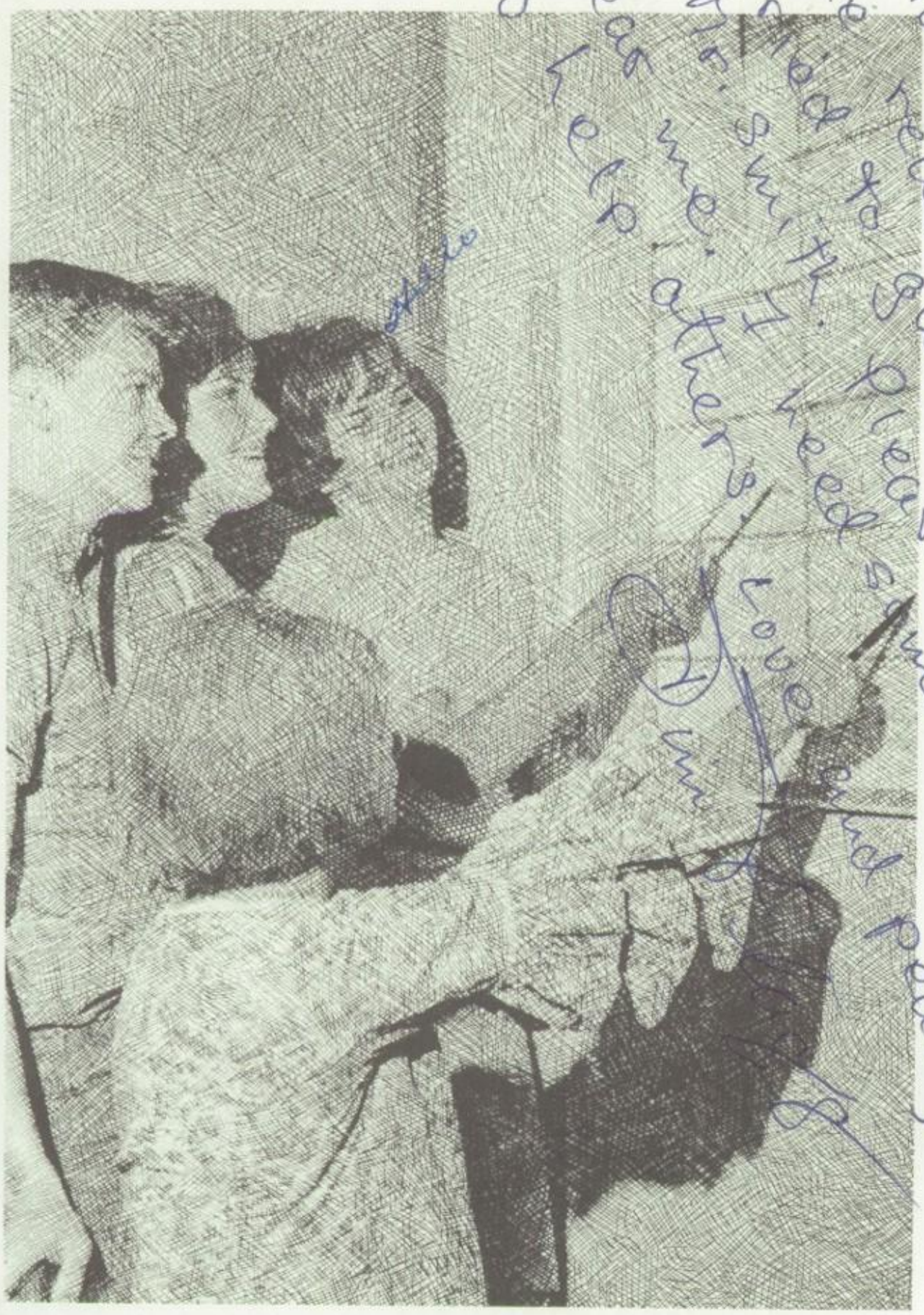
"The loose train of thy amber-dropping hair."
—John Milton—

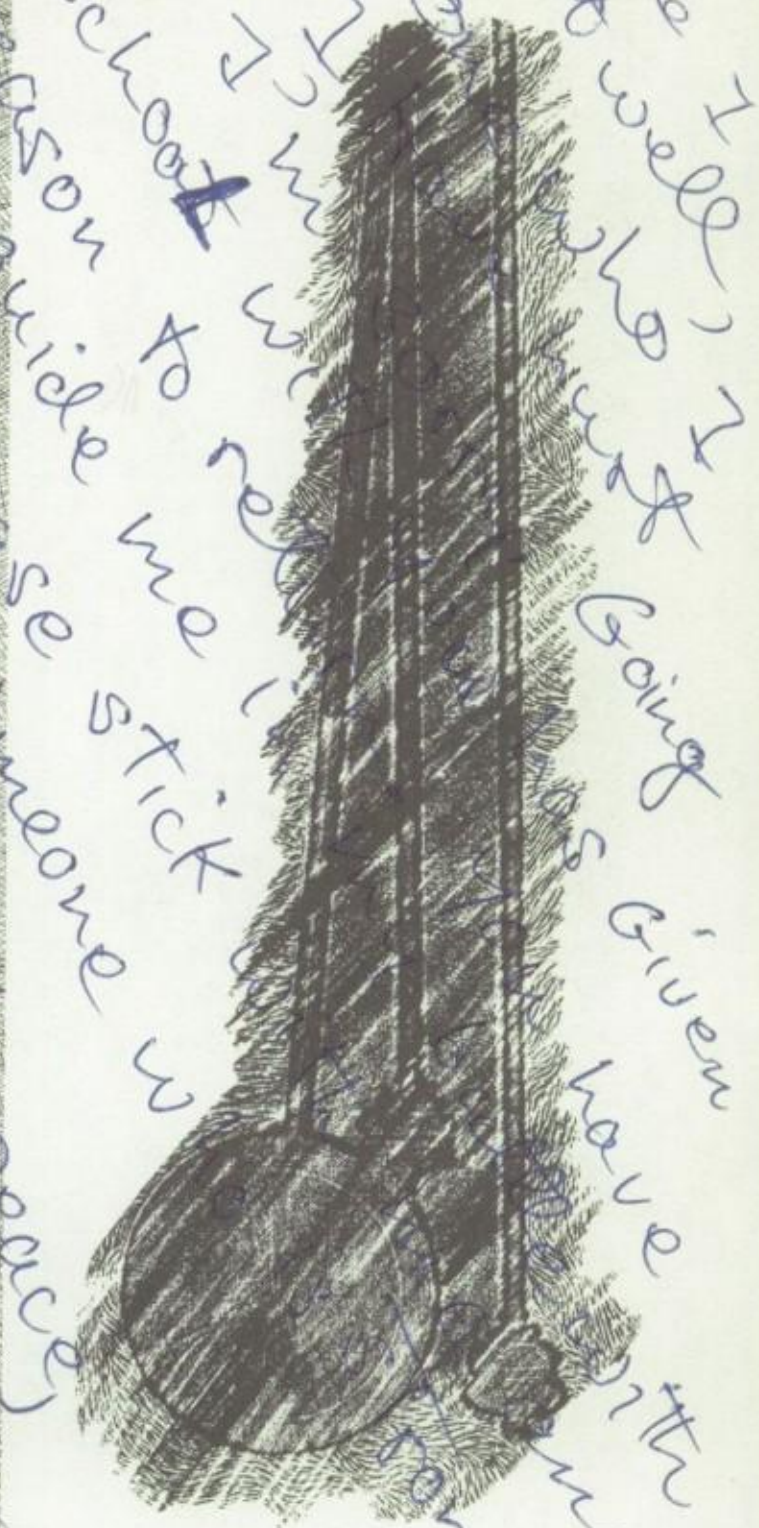
LARRY KAY WHITMER
"Right"

"Let thy speech be better silence, or be silent."
—Dionysius The Elder—

ROBERT BARRY WILLIAMS
"Gentle Barry"

"Science is vastly more stimulating to the imagination than are the classics."
—Haldane—





"There's a time for some things, and a time for all things; a time for great things, and a time for small things."
–Miguel de Cervantes–

JUNIORS

Class officers get together on the front steps to discuss money-making events to finance the prom. Leading the class this year are: Russell Crosby, President; Eldon Pond, Vice-President; Janice Waelbroeck, Secretary-Treasurer; Kaynetta Slade, Senator; Alan Slade, Senator; and Ken Harper, Senator.

Russell Crosby
President

Eldon Pond
Vice-President

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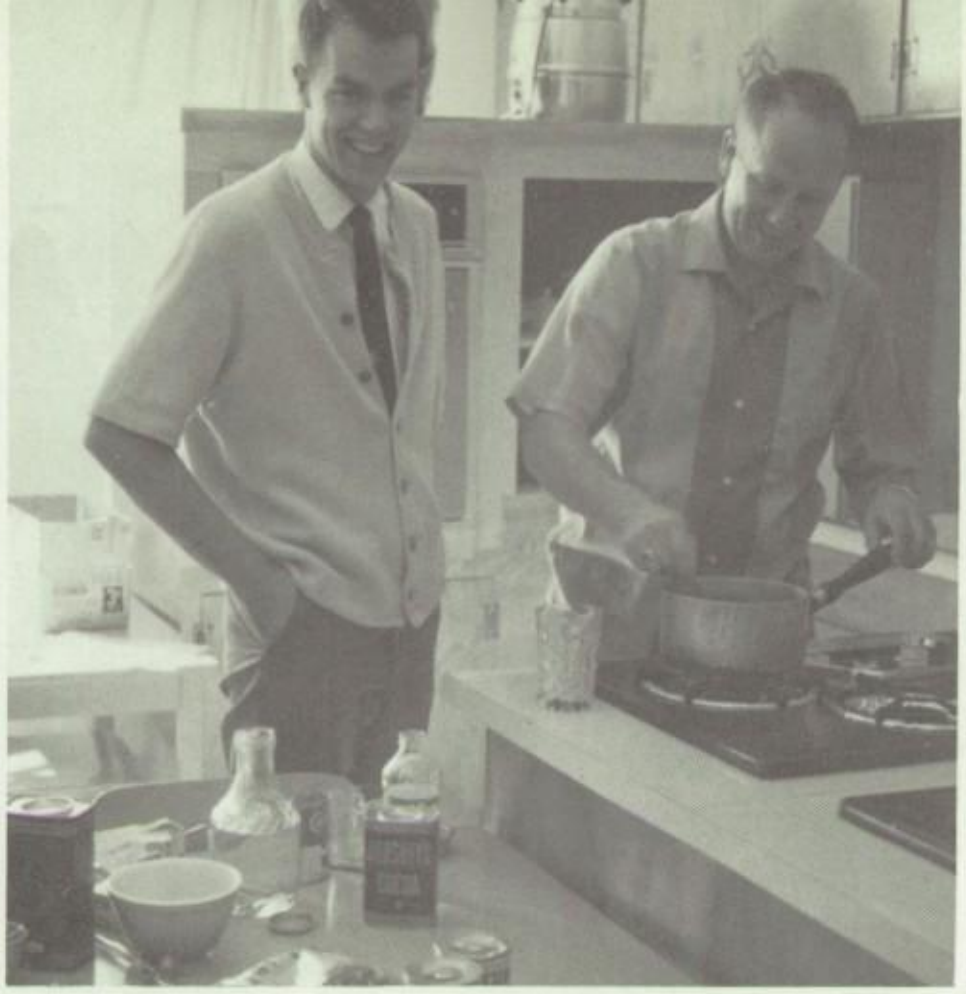
Brad Anderson

Clay Blake



Juniors Look Forward to the Future

The Junior class had all the football concessions for the home games. A new money-making scheme was devised by the advisors, Mr. Ellis Hamblin and Mr. Jay Coombs. The class made "pigs in a blanket" instead of the more expensive hot dogs to sell at games and members of the class made candy as a group project the day before each home game. The advisors pitched in and helped with these projects, too!

Sue Bloomfield

Bonnie Bounds

Weldon Brannan

Nancy Calloway

Johnny Chavez

Tim Davis

Hansen DeClay

Denny Finch

Kaylma Gillespie

Donnie Gilliam

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Hariella Haws

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Lynda Hill

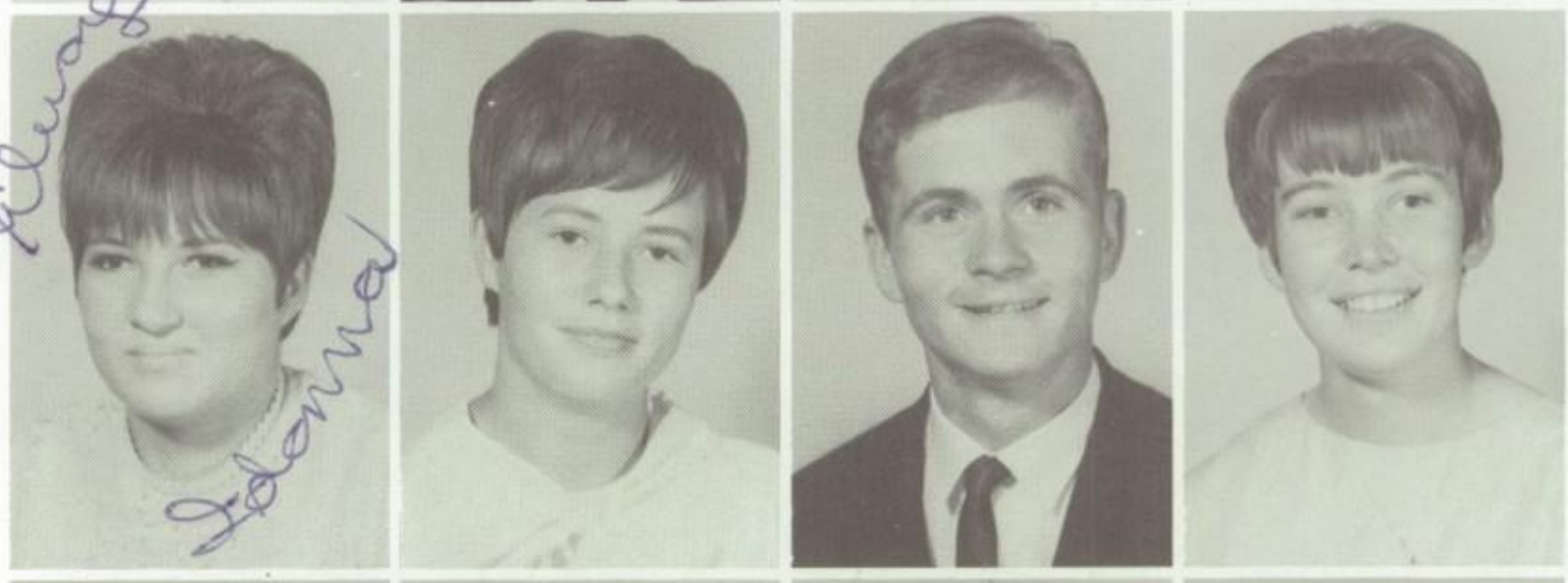
Lynn Hill

Idonna Jepson

Candace Jirsa

Ron Johnson

Evelyn Judd



Linda Judd

Jolene LeSueur

Lupe Logan

Jo Anne Logan

The class won first place (for the second year in a row) on their homecoming float entitled "Bury 'Em" which featured a Mountaineer being buried.

Brenda Lund

Bonnie McCall

Upperclassmen at Last! Time to Plan for Floats, Rings, Banquets, Proms and a Chance to Prove Merit

Derrelle Miller

Elizabeth Nava

Betty Nelson

Donald Nelson

Owen Nelson

Steve Nelson

Glenda Pettijohn

John Rodriguez

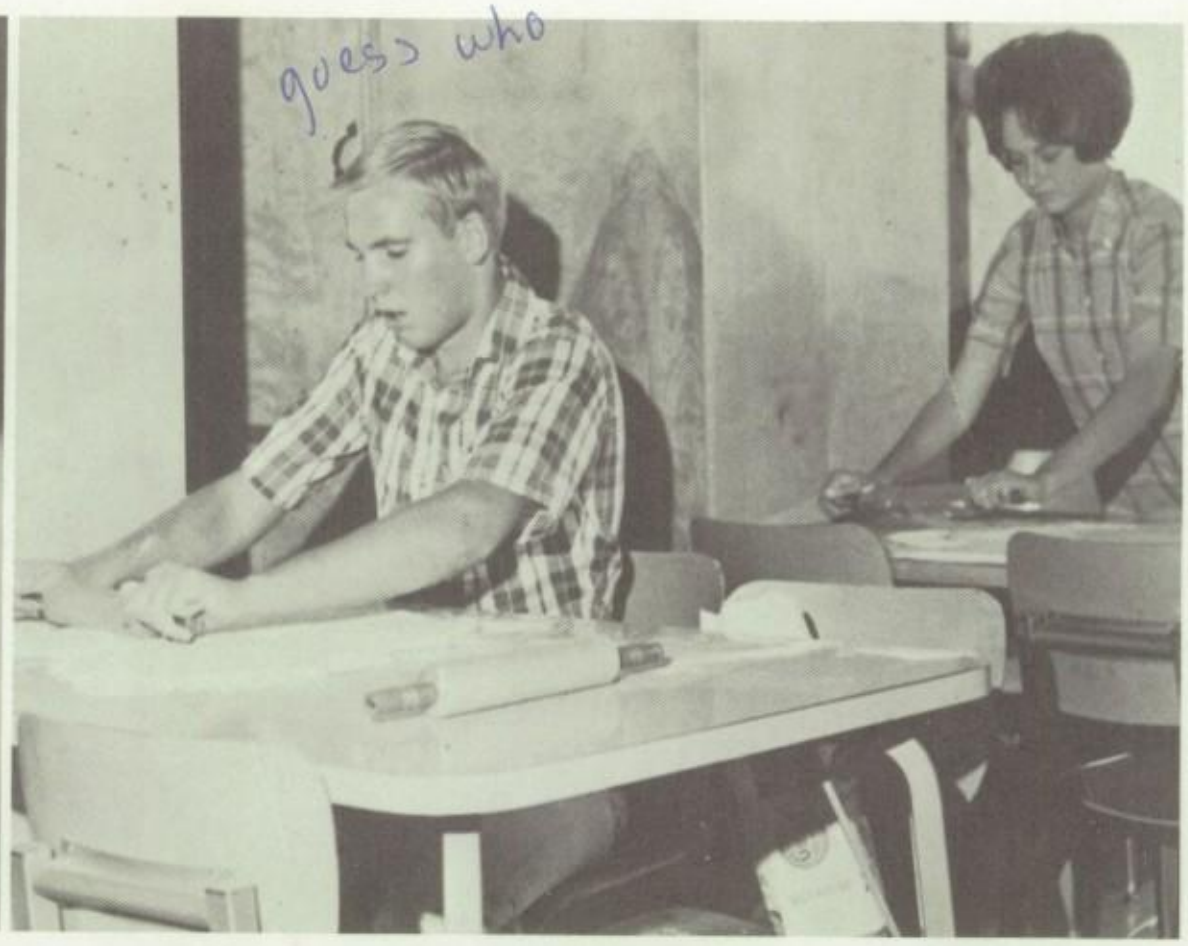
Clayton Slade

Tom Strickland

Jacqualyn Thompson

Charlotte Wilkins

Those coveted rings arrived at last! Some had stones, some were plain gold but all gave their owners upperclass status.



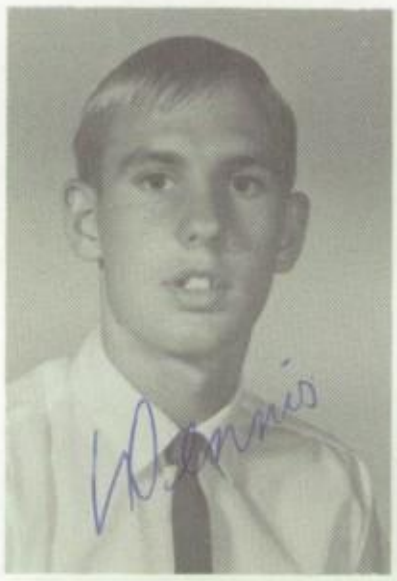
Even the boys participated in rolling dough for the "pigs in a blanket" for football concessions. Here we see Dennis Wilkins and Janice Waelbroeck hard at work on the day before a game.

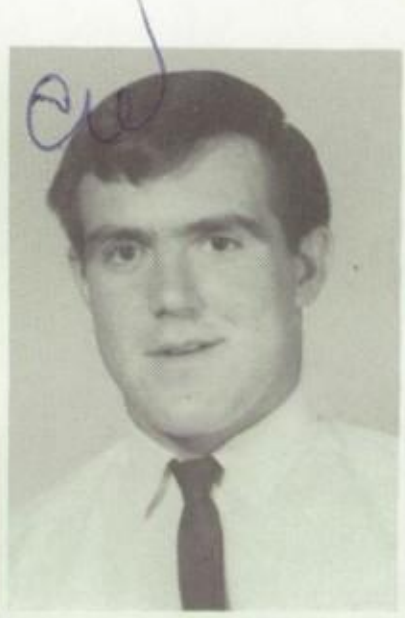
Sign Up for Advanced Courses, Participate in School Affairs

Dennis Wilkins

Carl Whiting

Charles Wiltbank

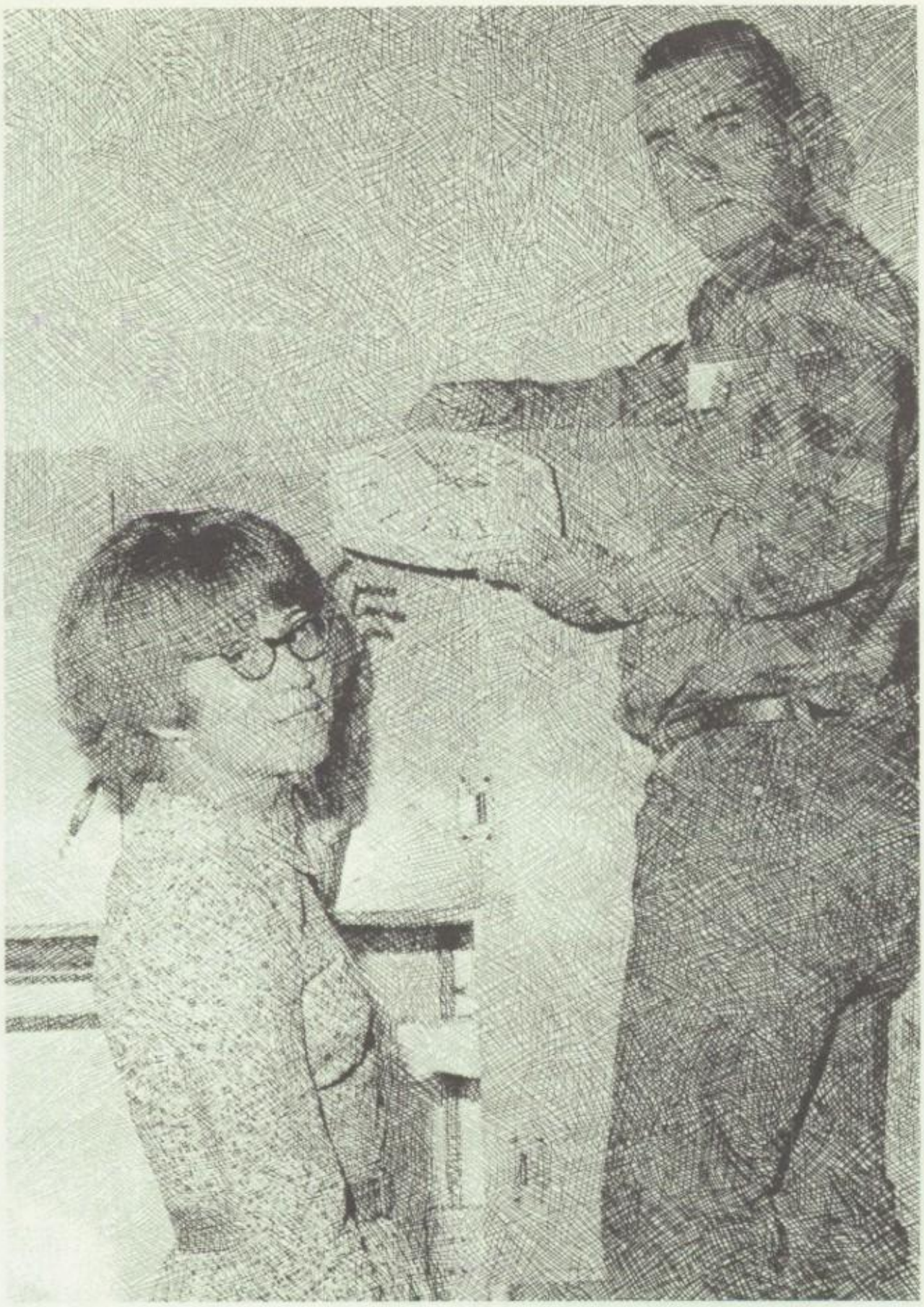


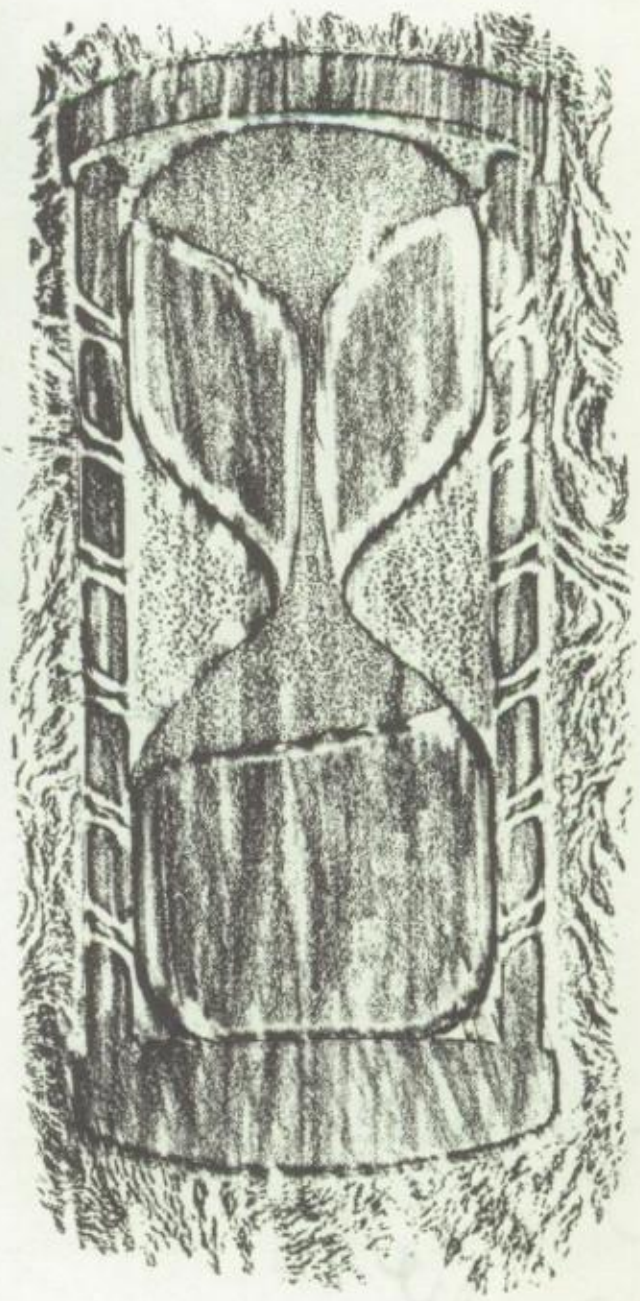


Jeanne Wiltbank

Wayne Wiltbank

Christine Wise





"Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And, departing, leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time."
—A Psalm of Life, Henry
Wadsworth Longfellow—

Candace, to a very sweet
girl. Good luck
Patsy

SOPHOMORES

Mara Jirsa
President
Don Allred

Jan Wright
Vice-President
Melanie Anderson

Fred Lomeli
Secretary-Treasurer
Debbie Anway

Todd Bosen
Senator
Bernita Antonio

Diane DeWitt
Senator
Russell Bloomfield

Sophomores Adopt Motto:

Danny Brown
Julie Burk

Teri Brown
Herman Chavez

Class officers meet with their advisors Mrs. Dude Coombs and Mrs. LaRhea Smith to discuss the ordering of school rings. Leading the class are: Back Row: Diane DeWitt, Senator: Marta Jirsa, President; Jan Wright, Vice-President. Front Row: Todd Bosen, Senator: Karl Rencher, Senator and Fred Lomeli, Secretary-Treasurer.

Float plans were made in a class meeting held in Mrs. Coombs' room prior to homecoming. Shown working on the committee are: Arnold Moya, Jerry Wiltbank, Karl Rencher, Jan Wright, Tina Sherwood, Diana Wise, Stacey Branson, Donna Lee, Linda Hearne, Devonna Hall, Debbie Gastineau, Debra Hall and Danny Brown.

Karl Rencher
Seantor
Louise Brannon

Robert Adams
Stacey Branson

Candace, you are really a nice person. I have enjoyed your friendships this year. Good Luck in all you do. Always Jan

Elks Today, Leaders Tomorrow

Ramon Castillo
Glenn Finch

Craig Coombs
Jimmy Finch

Kathy Davis
Kathy Finch

Mervin Davis
Debbie Gastineau

Vera Rae Eager
Kathy Gillespie

Watermelon Fourth at

Debra Hall and Jack Johnson swing happily at the Sadie Hawkins dance in October. A large crowd of students attended the affair that featured all kinds of costumes in the dogpatch style.

Wanda Gilliam
Devonna Hall
Jack Judd

Laura Harlan
Kayle Haws
Tom Judd

Debra Hall
Linda Hearne
Donna Lee

Anthony James
Travis Lytle

Jack Johnson
Patsy Miles

Float Takes Homecoming

The Sophomore Class float placed fourth in the homecoming parade competition. A large green watermelon with yellow stripes formed the main part of the float and a sign, painted in red with black spots to resemble, watermelon seeds, read: "Watermelon, Watermelon, Watermelon rind. Look at the score–see's who behind! " in keeping with Coach Reeves' favorite cheer.

Arnold Moya
Conrad Rodriguez
Randy Sturdevant

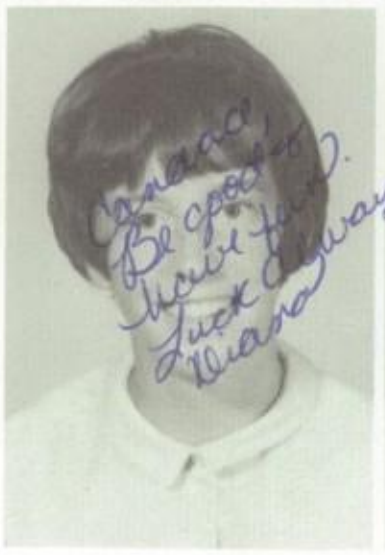
Lydia Moya
Mary Romero
Jolyn Talsma

Jimmy Pena
Tina Sherwood
Gary Thompson

Lewis Phipps
Sylvia Smith

Lynnda Porter
Harold Smith

Dennis Thompson
Cheryl Thurman
Joe Tsosie
Jimmy Walden

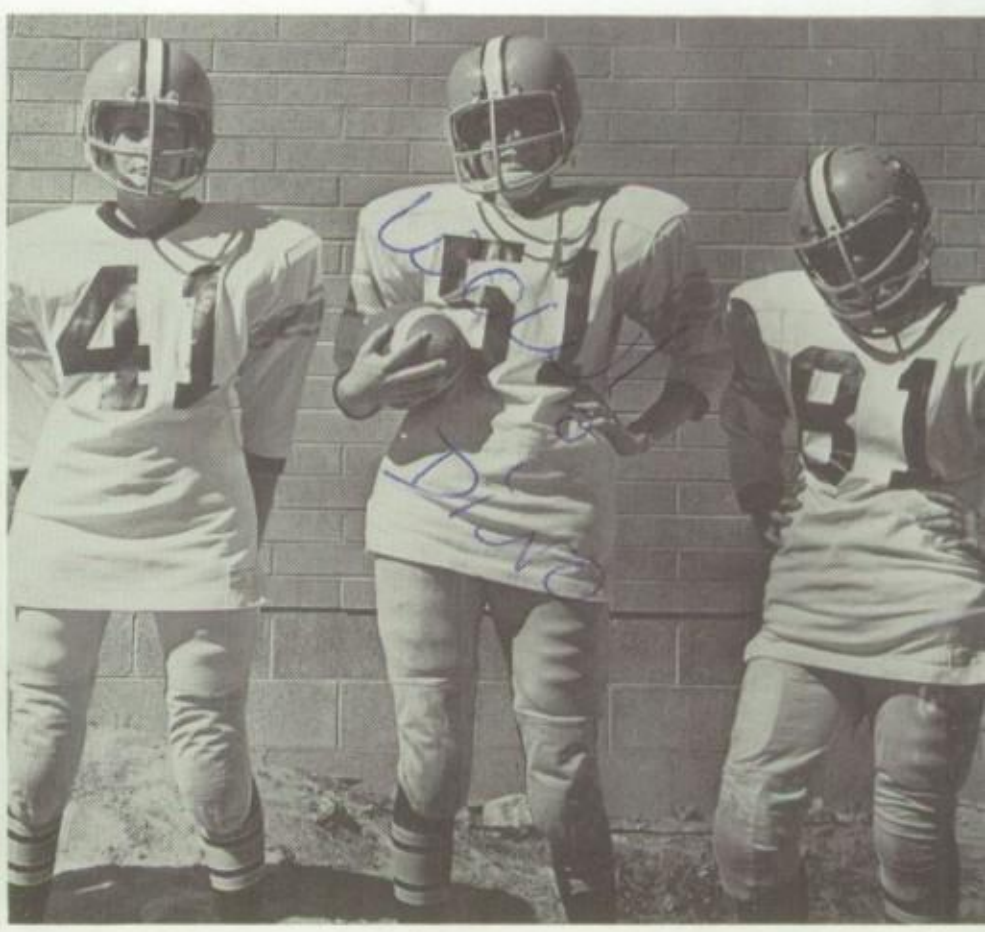


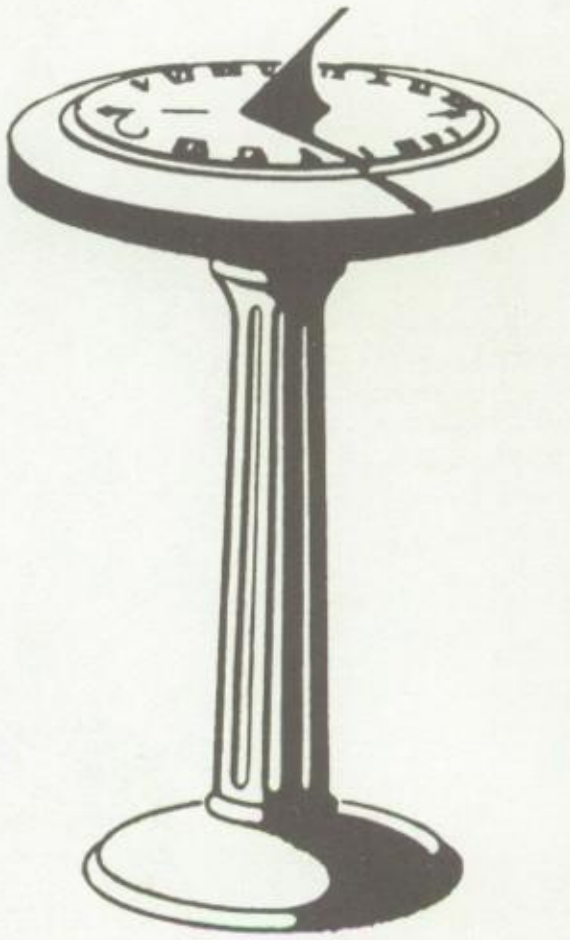
Diana Wise
Jerry Wiltbank
Peggy Whiting
Jonni Sue Youngbull

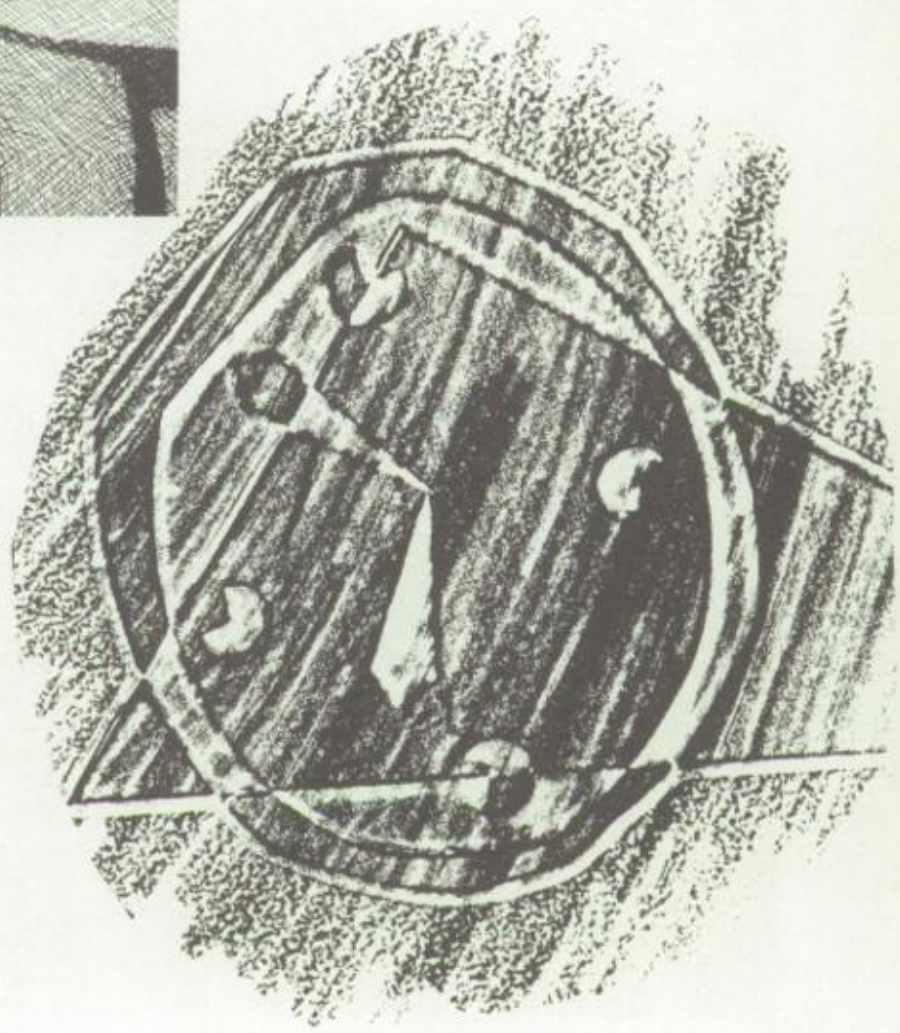
Struggle with Shakespeare and Dissect Frogs in Biology

Laura Harlan and her date stand by the refreshment booth at the Sadie Hawkins dance. Many Sophomores attended the October affair in the School auditorium. This was only one of many extra-curricular activities attended by Sophomores.

Stacey Branson, Donna Lee and Laura Harlan performed in a pep assembly before one of the home football games. The three dressed in football uniforms and gave predictions for the upcoming game.







"The place to be happy is here.
The time to be happy is now."
—Robert G. Ingersoll—

FRESHMEN

Billy Greenwood
President
Peggy Slade
Vice-President
Donna LeSueur
Secretary-Treasurer
Elaine Wilkins
Senator
Trini Logan
Senator

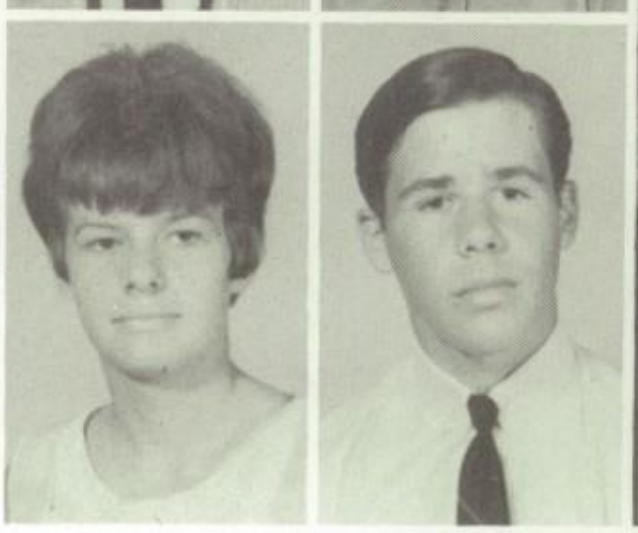
Steve Slade
Senator
Terry Allen
Glynda Antonio
Dorothy Aragon
Frank Baca

Kathy Baca
Tommy Baca

Newly elected class officers get together with their advisors to discuss plans for their homecoming float.

Mark Beazer
Patti Brady

Susan Brannan
James Brown



Freshmen Begin New Chapter in Their Lives; Become High School Students at Last!

Over sixty anxious freshman students enrolled at Round Valley High School on August 28. Upperclassmen found this class much too large because Elkland's halls suddenly became overcrowded once again.

Members of the class elected Billy Greenwood their leader. Peggy Slade was chosen vice-president; Donna LeSueur, Secretary-Treasurer. Trinia Logan, Steve Slade and Elaine Wilkins were elected class senators.

Barbara Calloway

John Cantrell
Idella Chavez
Rosalie Chavez

Mr. Diz Reeves and Mr. Richard Lewis served as the class advisors.

June Cook
Marsha Copeland
Kathleen Cosby

Craig Crosby
Scott Crosby
Billy Finch

Singing, Whitewashing, Being Slaves, All Part of Initiation

Steve Gibbons
Kristi Gillespie
Charlene Gilliam
Sonny Hale
Johnny Hall

Kayle Hamblin
Frank Haws
Gary Herbella

Herbert Orona stops whitewashing the "R. V. to admire his work but other frosh continue working.

Senior Rodney Penrod "issues" orders to keep up the good work and found freshmen eager to obey.

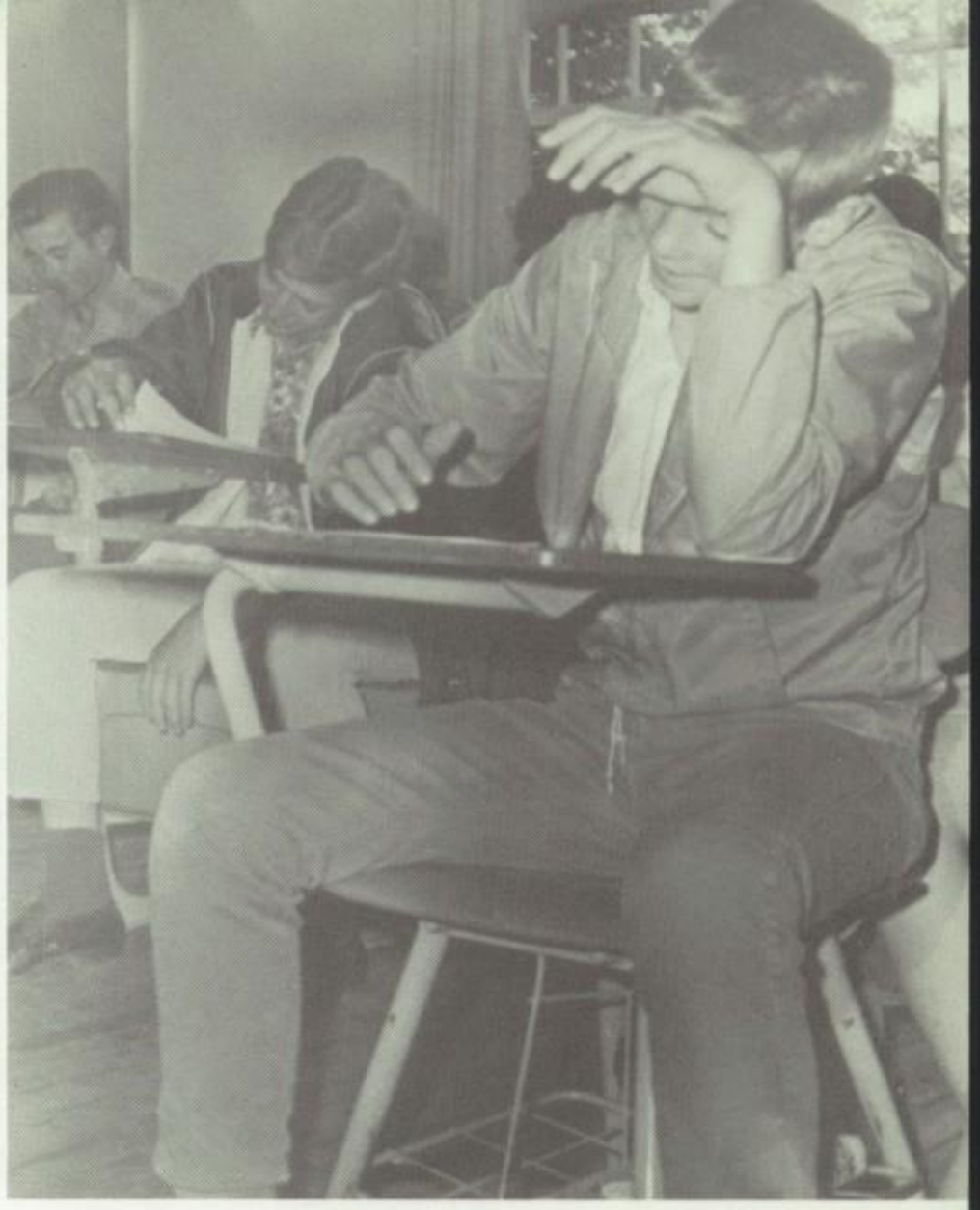
Freshman boys seemed to enjoy wading into the pond to retrieve tires that were burned to blacken the letters.

Members of the class stood patiently in line while seniors filled their buckets with whitewash.

Steve Hooper
Rickie Julander

Robert Hunt
Gregory Lee

Michael Isaac
Janet Lockwood



Terry Allen, Steve Hooper and Stuart Welch "concentrate" on an exercise in Mrs. Smith's English I class. Members of the class found high school much different from elementary school.

Frosh Find It Important to Learn New Study Techniques

Đwight Lund
Eugene Maeder

Ellis Lund
Barbara Mangum

Don LeSueur
Jeanne Mares

Johnny Montoya
Herbert Orona

Partick Miles
Ellena Perez

Dale Murdock
Robert Perez

Mrs. Jo Ellen Roser was a student teacher in the Home Economics department during the fall months. Her classes included freshman classes on grooming and clothing selection. Peggy Slade, Patti Brady, June Cook, Barbara Mangum and Leumas Summers participate in a discussion on grooming.

A large yellow bug with the theme of "Bug 'Em" was built by the Freshmen to enter in the homecoming parade in October. The float placed fifth in the school category

Larry Porter
Marshall Reed
Jolyn Talsma

"Bug 'Em" Is Float Theme

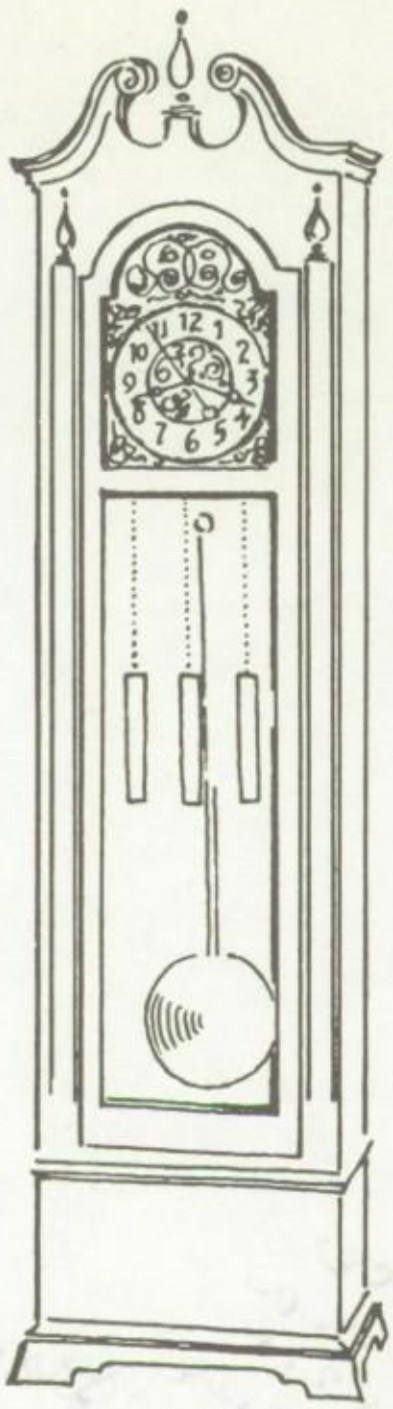
Ginger Rogers
David Walden

Rick Savedra
Robert Walker

Debbie Sherwood
Stuart Welch

Richard Strickland
Dean Wiltbank

Leumas Summers
Steve Wiltbank



"A little time for laughter,
A little time to sing."
–Philip Bourke Marston–

MUSIC

Back: Jeanne Wiltbank, Mary Romero, Gayle DeWitt, Charlotte Wilkins, John Rodriquez, Jim Flagg, Gary Herbella, Fred Lomeli, Arturo Retana, John Cantrell, Ken Sundwall, Frank Baca. Third: Chelisa Hall, Barbara Calloway, Jeanne Mares, Leumas Summers, Melanie Anderson, Teri Brown, Kayle Haws, Conrad Rodriquez, Ken Harper, Johnny Chavez. Second: Madeline Hall, Glenda Pettijohn, Bonnie McCall, Tina Sherwood, Hariella Haws, Kathy Finch, Russell Crosby, Tim Davis. Front: Jolene LeSueur, Chris Wise, Kaynetta Slade, Debra Hall, Linda Hearne, Steve Gibbons and Brad Anderson.

Elk Choir Presents Concert

Mr. Melvin DeWitt directs the choir in a number for one of the concerts.

Accompanists Gayle DeWitt, De Rae Nelson and Tonna Sherwood played for many soloists as well as the choir.

Back: Alan Slade, Eldon Pond, Clayton Slade, Charles Wiltbank, Dale Hall, Bobby Peters, Ron Johnson, Dennis Wilkins, Brent Hall, Debbie Anway, Betty Nelson, Sue Bloomfield. Third: Denny Finch, Craig Coombs, Debbie Gastineau, Kaylma Gillespie, Patti Brady, Donna Lee, Donna LeSueur, Elaine Wilkins, Kristi Gillespie, Peggy Slade. Second: Craig Crosby, Bill Greenwood, Peggy Whiting, Stacey Branson, Cathy Gillespie, Becky Silva, Devonna Hall, Lynn Hill, Diane DeWitt. Front: Karl Rencher, Richard Strickland, Sharyl Hooper, Laura Harlan, Bonnie Bounds, Wanda Gilliam, De Rae Nelson. Not Pictured: M. Davis, G. Ford, T. Sherwood, S. Crosby, H. Smith R. Penrod.

Featuring Soloists, Ensembles

Peggy Slade and Elaine Wilkins were two of the accompanists shown here with De Rae.

Hariella Haws, Kaynetta Slade, Chelisa Hall and Tina Sherwood brought the number of accompanists to nine.

Back: Madeline Hall, Donna Lee, Chris Wise, Brenda Lund, Lynn Hill, Cathy Gillespie, Sue Bloomfield, Betty Nelson. Third: Jolene LeSueur, Peggy Slade, Laura Harlan, Sharyl Hooper, Richard Strickland, Hariella Haws, Peggy Whiting, Fred Lomeli, Conrad Rodriquez. Second: Bonnie Bounds, Charlotte Wilkins, Tina Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt, Debra Hall, Jeanne Mares, Steve Gibbons. Front: Donna LeSueur, Stacey Branson, Bonnie McCall, Barbara Calloway, Diane DeWitt.

Band Performs in Half-Time

Trumpets:
Russell Crosby
Ron Johnson
Conrad Rodriguez
Fred Lomeli
Karl Rencher
Peggy Whiting
Gary Herbella
Scott Scrosby
Lynn Hill

Trombones:
Charles Wiltbank
Alan Slade
Craig Coombs
Ken Harper
Billy Greenwood

Band Director is Mr. Melvin DeWitt.

French Horn:
Eldon Pond
Kaynetta Slade
Clayton Slade

Tuba:
Dale Hall
Arturo Retana

Baritone:
Hariella Haws
Richard Strickland

Flute:
Tonna Sherwood
Donna Lee
Diane DeWitt
Stacey Branson
Bonnie McCall
Barbara Calloway

Back: Arturo Retana, De Rae Nelson, Kristi Gillespie, Elaine Wilkins, Marta Jirsa, Debbie Gastineau, Devonna Hall, Diane Wise, Linda Hearne. Third: Ron Johnson, Russell Crosby, Karl Rencher, Dale Hall, Eldon Pond, Kaynetta Slade, Clayton Slade, Chelisa Hall. Second: Craig Crosby, Dennis Wilkins, Tim Davis, Alan Slade, Charles Wiltbank, Jeanne Wiltbank. Front: Frank Baca, Bill Greenwood, Ken Harper, Craig Coombs. Not Pictured: Sherwood, Herbella, Silva, Crosby.

Shows, Parades and Concerts

Clarinet:
Charlotte Wilkins
Tina Sherwood
Gayle DeWitt
Debra Hall
Devonna Hall
Laura Harlan
Jolene LeSueur
Donna LeSueur
Jeanne Mares
Peggy Slade
Chelisa Hall
Bonnie Bounds
Steve Gibbons

Saxophone:
Becky Silva
Chris Wise
Dennis Wilkins
Tim Davis
Craig Crosby
Frank Baca

Bassoon:
Sharyl Hooper

Percussion:
De Rae Nelson
Betty Nelson
Elaine Wilkins
Kristi Gillespie
John Rodriguez
Cathy Finch
Sue Bloomfield
Jeanne Wiltbank
Cathy Gillespie
Linda Hearne

Music Officers are:
Jeanne Wiltbank, Vice-President
Sharyl Hooper, Treasurer
Becky Silva, Secretary
De Rae Nelson, President

8 Win "Superiors" at District Music Festival, Go to State

Over 50 soloists represented Round Valley at the Northern Arizona District Music Festival held on February 9 in Snowflake. Six soloists and two groups came home with superior ratings and represented Round Valley at the state festival in Tempe on February 24. Jim Flagg sang "Shenandoah" while Brent Hall sang "Ole Man River". Sharyl Hooper sang "Romance", Charlotte Wilkins, "Green Cathedral"; Brad Anderson, "Invictus"; and Russell Crosby played a trumpet solo, "Macarene" to earn the superiors.

Earning excellent ratings were: Bonnie Bounds, Kathy Finch, Denny Finch, Linda Hearne, Laura Harlan, Dale Hall, Jolene LeSueur, Donna LeSueur, De Rae Nelson, Eldon Pond, Tonna Sherwood, Clayton Slade, Alan Slade, Ken Sundwall, Tina Sherwood, Rodney Penrod, Diane DeWitt, Elaine Wilkins and Russell Crosby.

The girls quartet earned a superior rating for "Carolina Moon". The quartet was composed of De Rae Nelson, Tonna Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt and Madeline Hall.

The Madrigal Choir, singing "Hard by a Fountain" also earned a superior rating. Soprano: Jolene LeSueur, Tonna Sherwood, Sharyl Hooper and De Rae Nelson. Alto: Charlotte Wilkins, Tina Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt and Madeline Hall. Tenor: Dale Hall, Eldon Pond, Russell Crosby and Kayle Haws. Bass: Charles Wiltbank, Rodney Penrod, Brent Hall and Alan Slade.

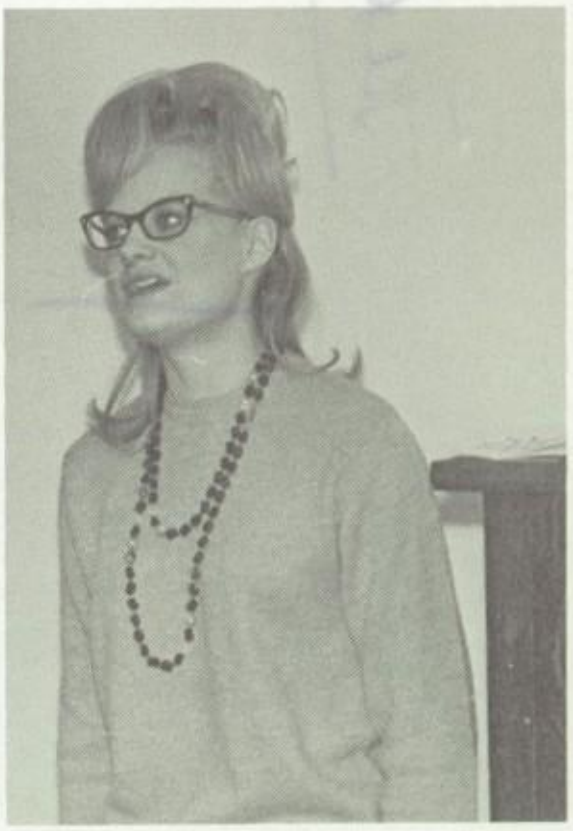
Scott Crosby, "Hills of Home"

Linda Hearne, "Bless This House"

Hariella Haws, "I'll Walk With God"

Patti Brady, "Danny Boy"
Frank Baca, "Without a Song"

Kaynetta Slade, "I'll Walk With God"
Donna LeSueur, "No Man is an Island"



Tonna Sherwood, "The Holy City"
Bonnie Bounds, "When Irish Eyes"

Jeanne Wiltbank, Chelisa Hall, Madeline Hall, Bonnie Bounds, Vondra Dawn Brown and Jolene LeSueur twirled at half times.

Twirlers Add Sparkle to Half-Time Performances

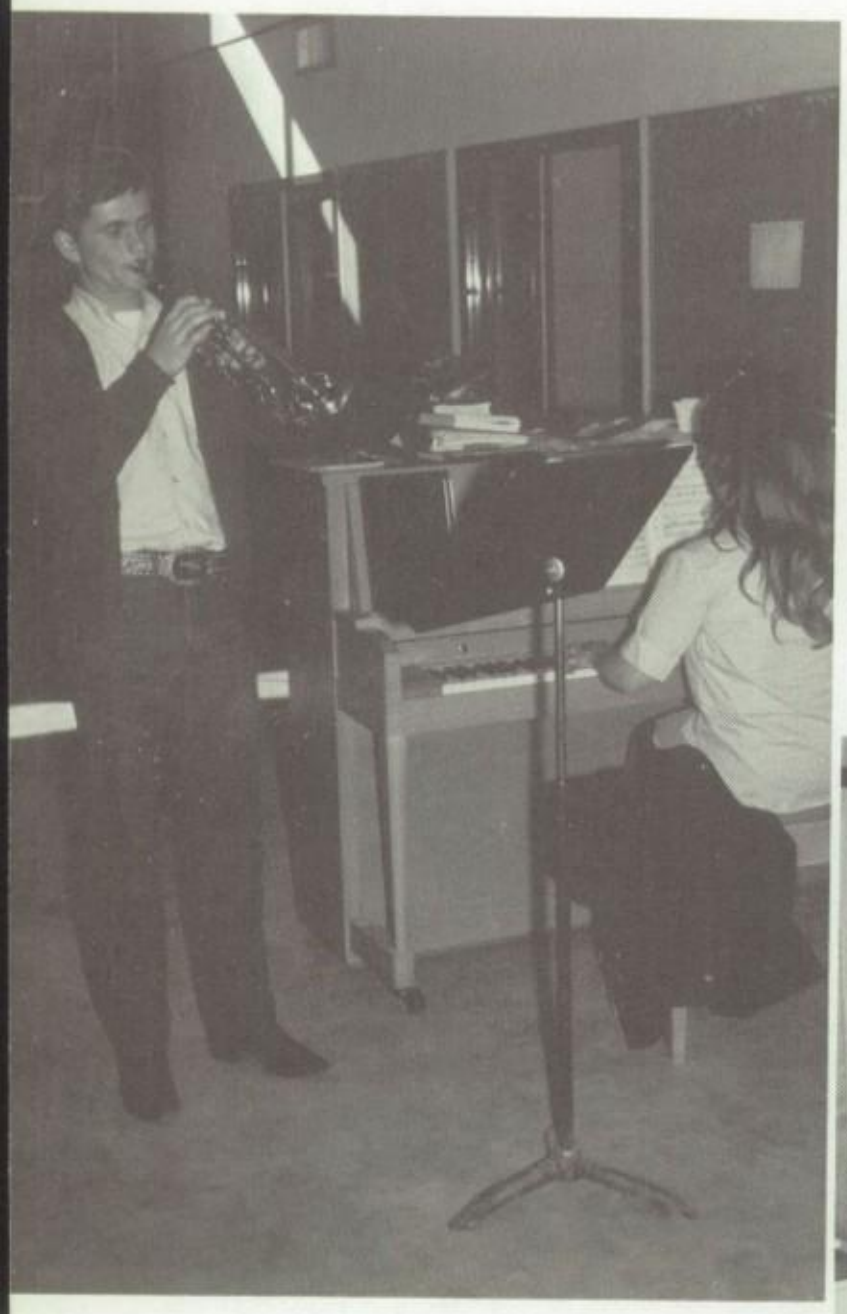
Vondra Brown, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Bowen Brown and Chelisa Hall's niece, twirled with the twirlers at half time shows during basketball season.

Sequins sparkled on black velvet outfits as Elkland's twirlers presented precision twirling routines during half times of ball games and at pep assemblies. The girls teach twirling to sixty-five or seventy grade school girls on Saturdays to earn money for uniforms.

Pom Pon girls are Kathy Gillespie, Marta Jirsa, Betty Nelson, Chris Wise, Devonna Hall, Brenda Lund, Lynn Hill, Linda Hearne and (pictured below) Donna Lee and Debbie Gastineau. Stacey Branson is not pictured. Alternates in bottom picture are Diana Wise, Kathy Finch and Glenda Pettijohn. Judy Wiltbank is their advisor.

Pom Pon Girls Entertain

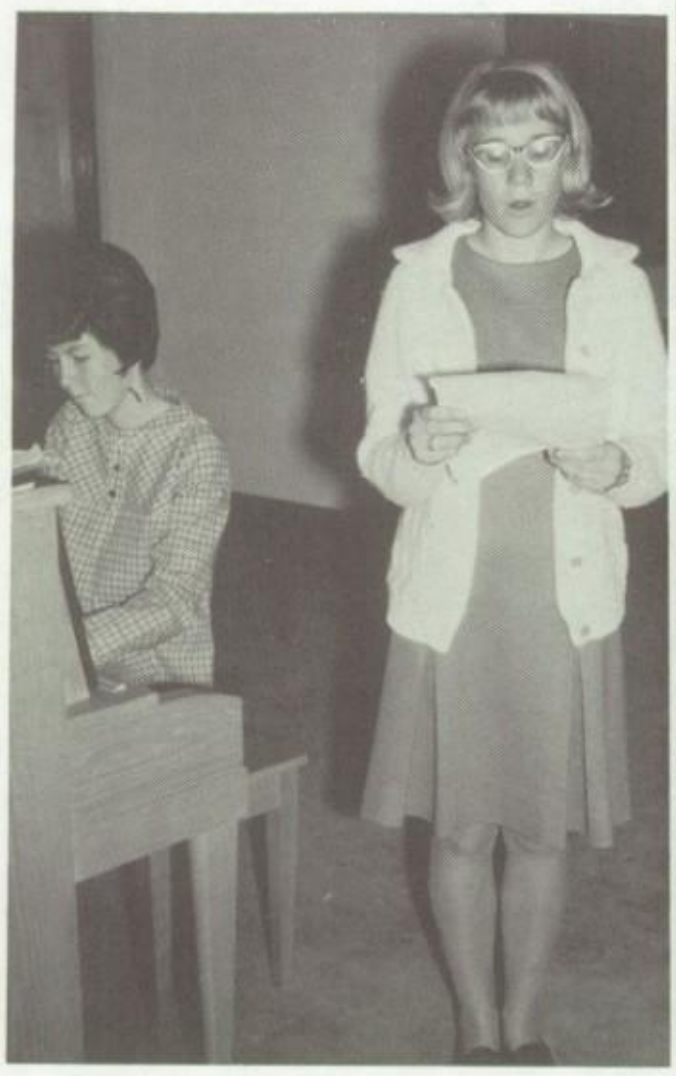
Many Students Take Part in Musical Activities

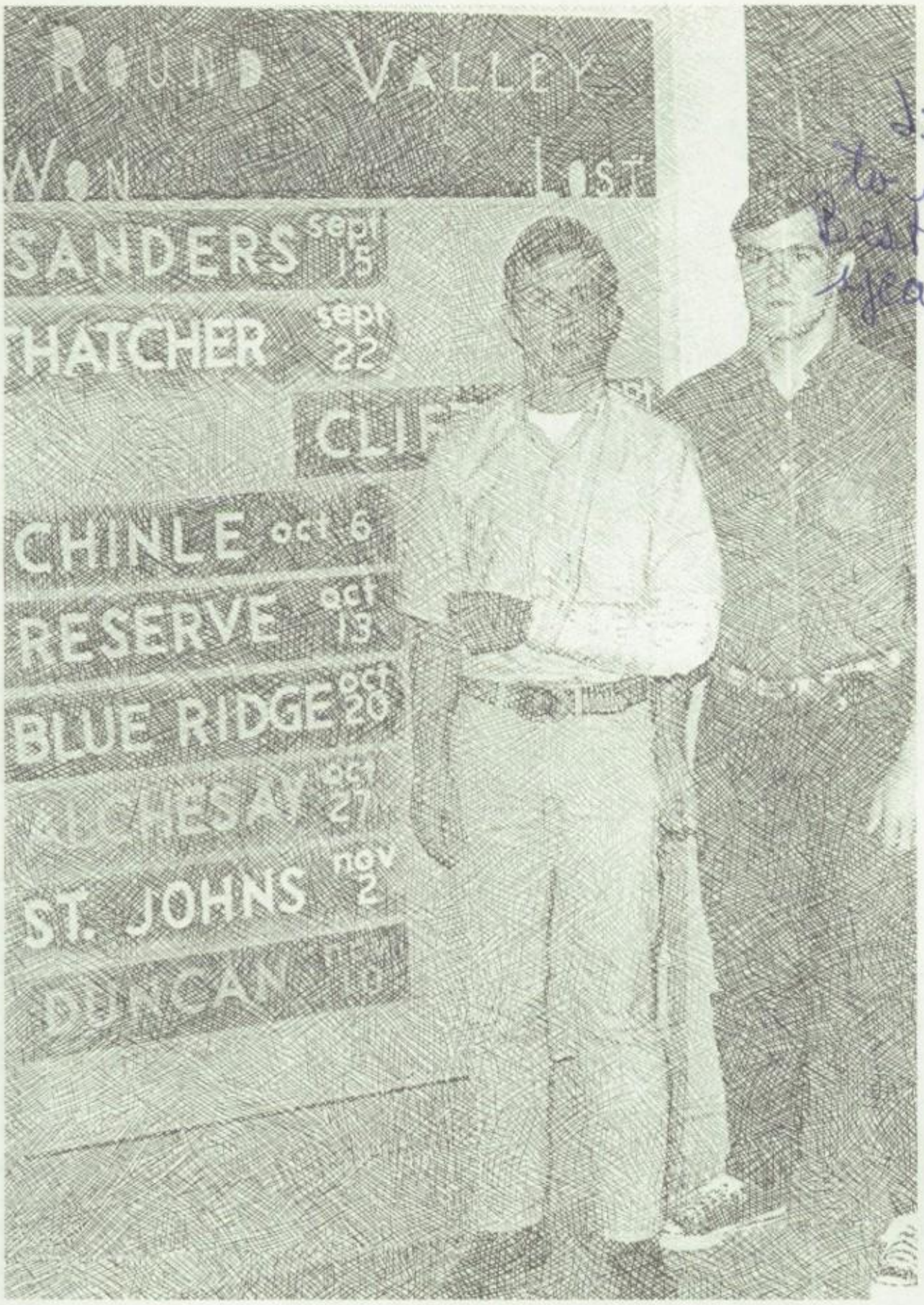


Ron Johnson practices a trumpet solo, "Fair", for the district music festival while Elaine Wilkins rehearses her solo, "I Believe".

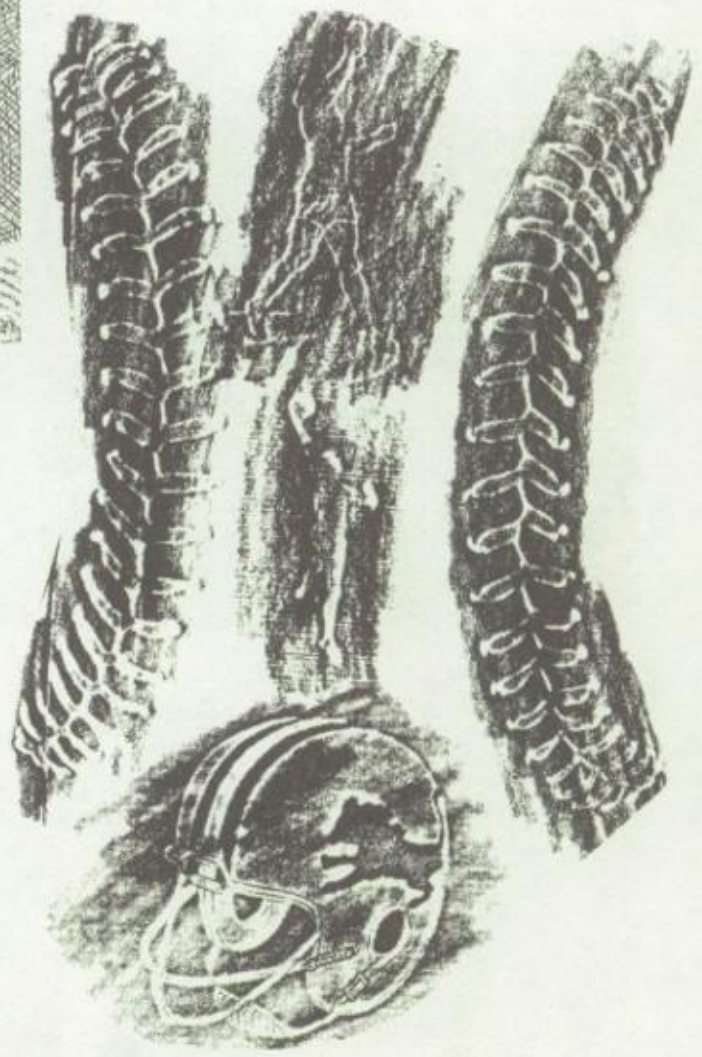
Jim Flagg practices his solo in front of a group of music students. Over 50 students participated in the district solo festival with 6 of them winning superiors and 19 winning excellent ratings. The girls quartet, singing "Carolina Moon", won a superior as did the Madrigal Choir, singing "Hard By a Fountain".

The girls quartet was composed of De Rae Nelson, Tonna Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt and Madeline Hall. In the Madrigal were: K. Haws, R. Crosby, E. Pond, B. Hall, R. Penrod, A. Slade, C. Wiltbank, J. LeSueur, S. Hooper, Tonna Sherwood, D. Nelson, G. DeWitt, M. Hall, Tina Sherwood and C. Wilkins. Mr. M. DeWitt is choir director.



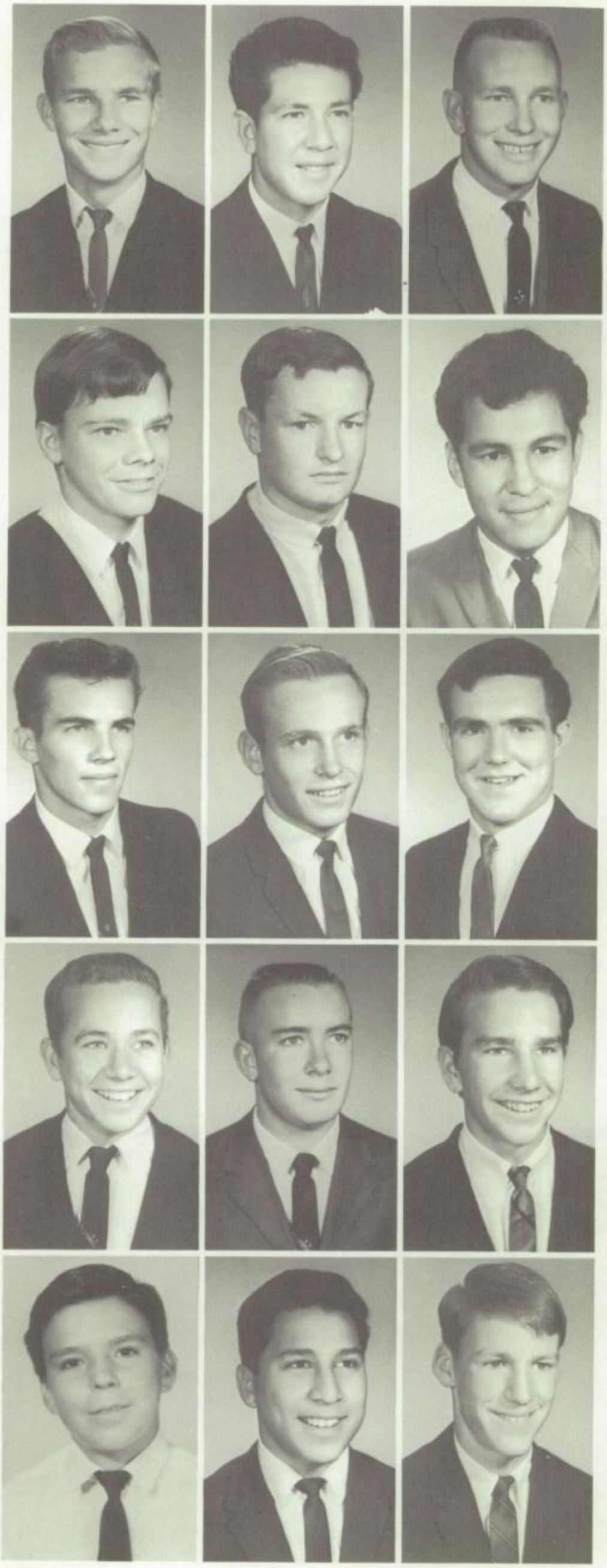


Candace,
It's been nice going to school with you. Best of luck in the future years. Bye good luck



"A time to be joyous and a time to be sad; A time to win and a time to lose."
—Author Unknown—

SPORTS



1967 Varsity Football

Clay Hall, Tri-Captain, Wingback, Senior . . . Averaged 8.1 yards per carry while scoring 43 points. Scored 7 touchdowns with 5 of them on passes for a total of 310 yards. Had 432 yards on offense and earned 40 black stars on defense. Was named to All-State first team and B East first team.

Ron Carrillo, Tri-Captain, Halfback, Senior . . . Averaged 9 yards per carry while scoring 96 points with 9 kickoff returns for 208 yards and 8 punt returns for 63 yards. Caught 17 passes, one of them for a touchdown. Had a total of 1123 yards offense and earned 56 black stars on defense. Was named co-captain of All-State first team and also on B East first team.

Larry Whitmer, Tri-Captain, Tackle, Senior . . . Caught one pass for 8 yards and earned 12 stars on defense. Honorable Mention B East Team.

Brad Anderson, Halfback, Junior . . . 4 black stars on defense.

Clay Blake, Guard, Junior . . . Earned 2 black stars on defense. Transferred to another school before season ended.

Johnny Chavez, Wingback, Junior . . . Averaged 4.9 yards per carry for a total of 12 points and caught two touchdown passes. Total offense for the season was 220 yards and earned 26 black stars on defense.

Alan Slade, End, Junior . . . Caught 4 passes for a total of 95 yards. Earned 12 stars on defense.

Carl Whiting, End, Junior . . . Had one touchdown for a total of 6 points. 1 kickoff return for 20 yards and earned 15 black stars on defense.

Charles Wiltbank, Fullback, Junior . . . Average 7.1 yards per carry while scoring 66 points. Had 3 kickoff returns for 97 yards and 2 punt returns for 71 yards. Had a total offense of 625 yards during season and earned 59 black stars on defense. Named to first team B East and second team All-State.

Jack Johnson, Quarterback, Sophomore . . . Scored 31 points. Completed 4 of 9 passing attempts for 174 yards, caught 9 passes for 158 yards, threw 2 touchdown passes and caught 2 touchdown passes. Total offense was 376 yards. Earned 42 black stars on defense.

Jack Judd, Tackle, Sophomore . . . Earned 32 black stars on defense.

Tom Judd, Guard, Sophomore . . . Broke his foot in Chinle game but earned 12 black stars on defense.

Trini Logan, Manager, Freshman

Rick Savedra, Guard, Freshman . . . Earned 14 black stars on defense.

Steve Wiltbank, Tackle, Freshman . . . Earned a total of 6 black stars on defense.

Team Has Many Stars

Bill Coleman, Guard, Senior . . . Started late due to leg injury but earned 15 black stars for defensive efforts.

Bobby Peters, End, Senior . . . Kicked 24 extra points and a field goal for 33 points, caught 5 passes (1 a touchdown pass) for 90 yards and earned 18 stars on defense.

David Gillespie, Manager, Senior . . . Completed third year as varsity football manager.

Dale Hall, Tackle, Junior . . . Earned 10 black stars on defense.

Bob Heydt, Center, Junior . . . Injured dnring season but still earned 25 black stars on defense.

Ron Johnson, Quarterback, Junior . . . Averaged 4.8 yards per carry while scoring a total of 44 points. Had 112 passing attempts and completed 50 of them while gaining 889 yards. Eight touchdown passes and a total offense of 1274 yards. Earned 46 black stars on defense. Second Team All-State for second year in a row. Also 2nd team B East.

Herman Chavez, Fullback, Sophomore . . . Carried ball 16 times with an average of 4.5 yards per carry, returned one punt for 15 yards and had 71 yards on offense. Earned 13 black stars on defense.

Glenn Finch, Guard, Sophomore . . . Earned 10 black stars on defense.

Kayle Haws, Center, Sophomore . . . Earned 4 black stars on defense.

Travis Lytle, Guard, Sophomore . . . Honorable Mention All-State, second team B East and earned 40 stars on defense.

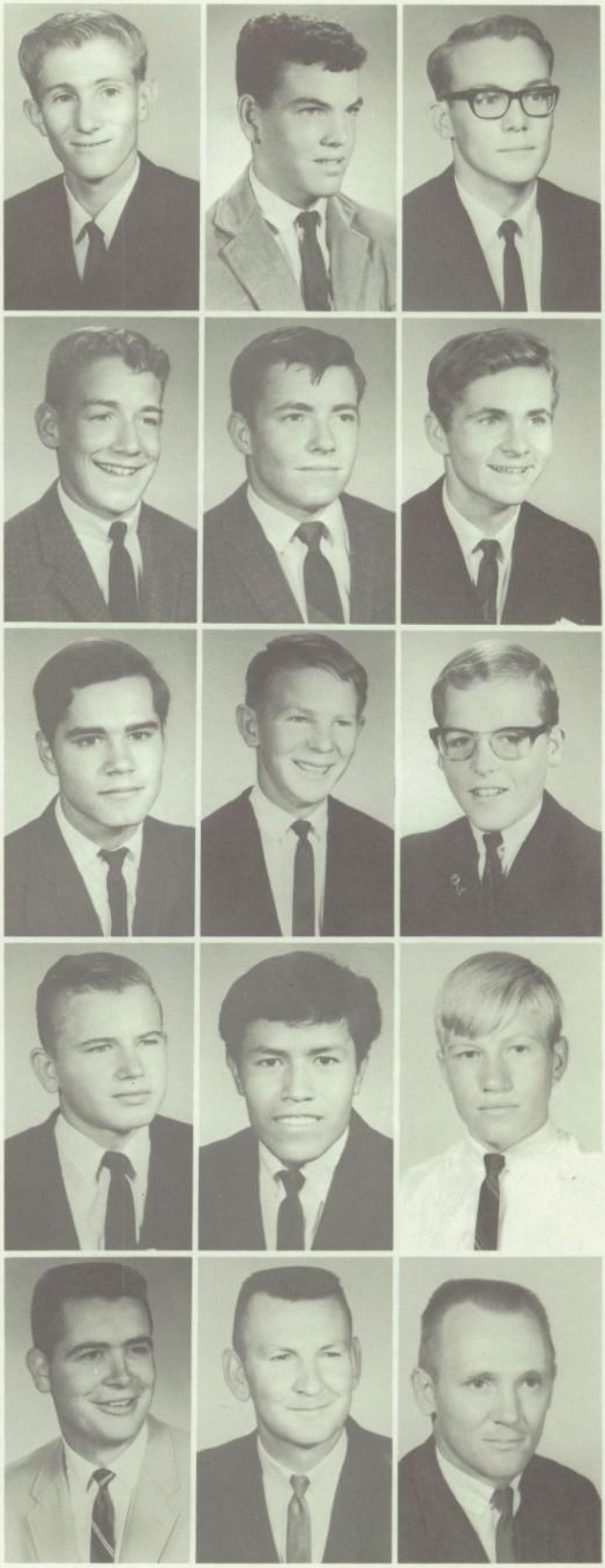
Joe Tsosie, End, Sophomore

Kayle Hamblin, Quarterback, Freshman . . . Attempted and completed two passes for 35 yards with one being a touchdown pass.

Head Coach Rance Smith

Marlin LeSueur, Backfield Coach

Diz Reeves, Line Coach



Elks Lose "Squeaker" to Clifton

Date	Opponent	RV	Op
9-15	Sanders at Round Valley	31	0
9-22	Thatcher at Round Valley	54	6
9-29	Clifton at Round Valley	14	16
10- 6	Chinle at Chinle	55	0
10-13	Reserve (NM) at Round Valley	32	13
10-20	Blue Ridge at Lakeside	57	7
10-27	Alchesay at Round Valley	40	0
11- 2	St. Johns at St. Johns	25	6
11-10	Duncan at Duncan	25	12

Season's Record: Won 8, Lost 1. Placed second in B East Conference. Scored 333 points to 60 for opponents, gained a total of 2160 yards to 963 for opponents and had an average of 6.79 yards gained per play to 3.57 for opponents.

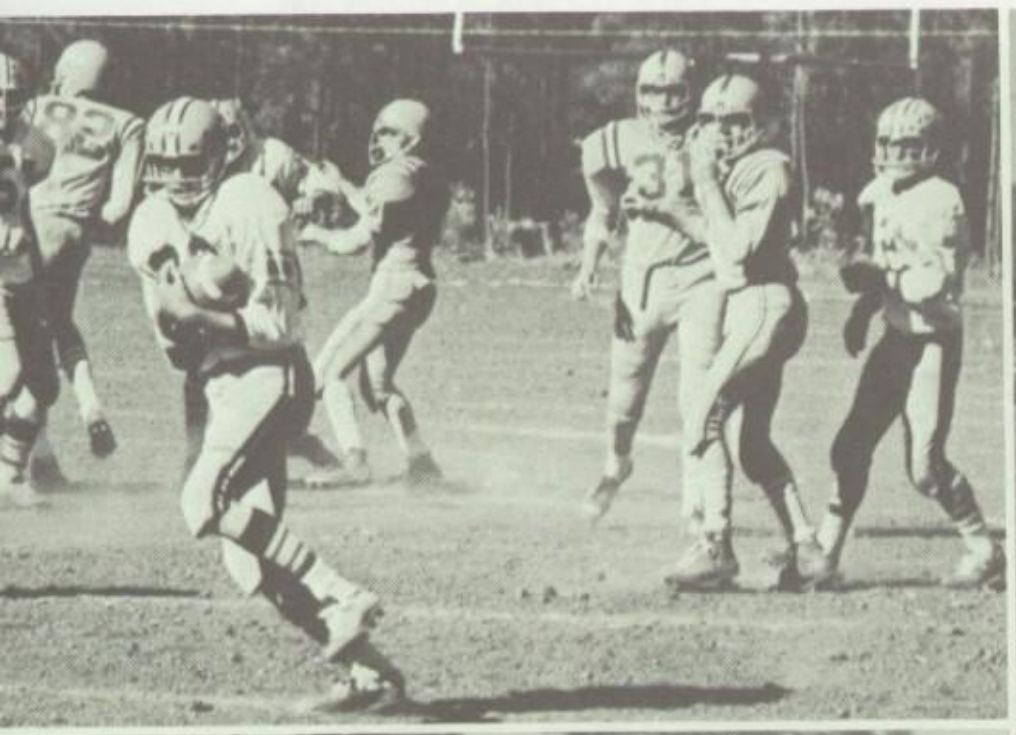
Alan Slade No. 82 moves up high to receive a pass from Quarterback Ron Johnson who has just "threaded the needle". The Clifton Trojans defending are Quinonez and Montoya.

Charles Wiltbank takes the ball, doubles his fist and runs hard behind the blocking of Larry Whitmer as he plunges into Clifton tackle Telez. The Elks lost 14-16.

Carl Whiting intercepts a pass and dashes for cinder pay dirt at Blue Ridge. Ron Carrillo cuts a corner and stiff arms opponents Aguallo and Stacey of Clifton in the Elks only loss.

Wiltbank attempts to block a field goal attempt by Clifton in play that proved to be the losing margin and ruined the Elks chances for another try at the state championship and a bid for a 2nd perfect season.

Ron Johnson puts his offense to work in an end sweep play against the highly touted Alchesay Falcons. Ron Carrillo makes a good gain in an option play after Ron Johnson pitches against St. Johns and A. Chavez.

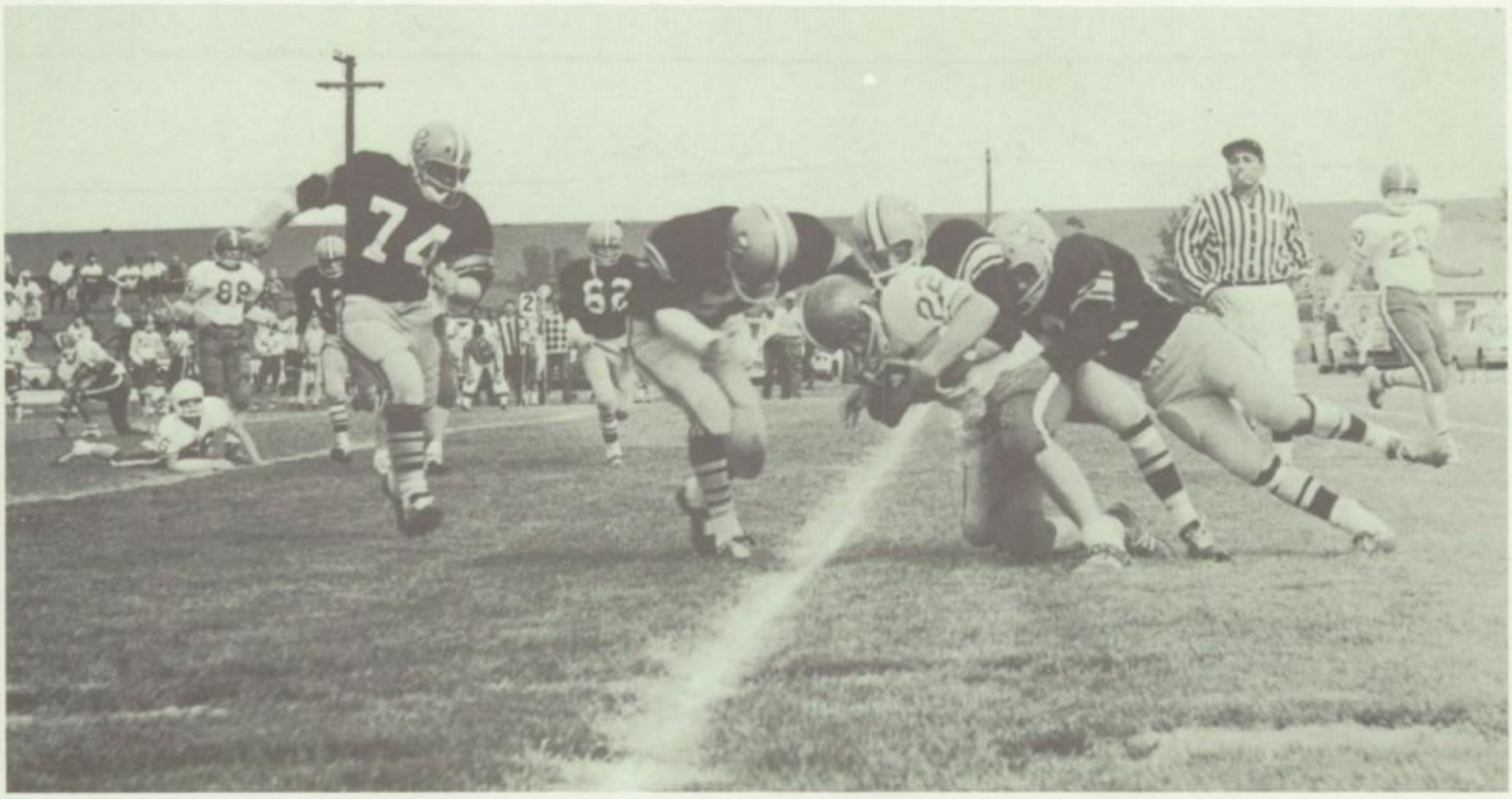


Easily Win Other Eight Games

Clay Hall, Ron Carrillo and Charles Wiltbank put the sting on a Blue Ridge Yellowjacket as Bob Heydt and Ron Johnson move in for the kill. The Elks ruined the B.R. Homecoming with a 57-7 win—the highest scoring victory of the season.

Charles Wiltbank goes in for one of two touchdowns in the St. Johns' game. The Elks won 25-6 in a game that saw the Elks outgain the Redskins 284 to 131 in yardage.

Bill Coleman wrestles Honorable Mention All-State Quarterback Ulysses Larzelere of the Alchesay Falcons to the ground. The Elks won 40-0 over the highly rated Falcons.



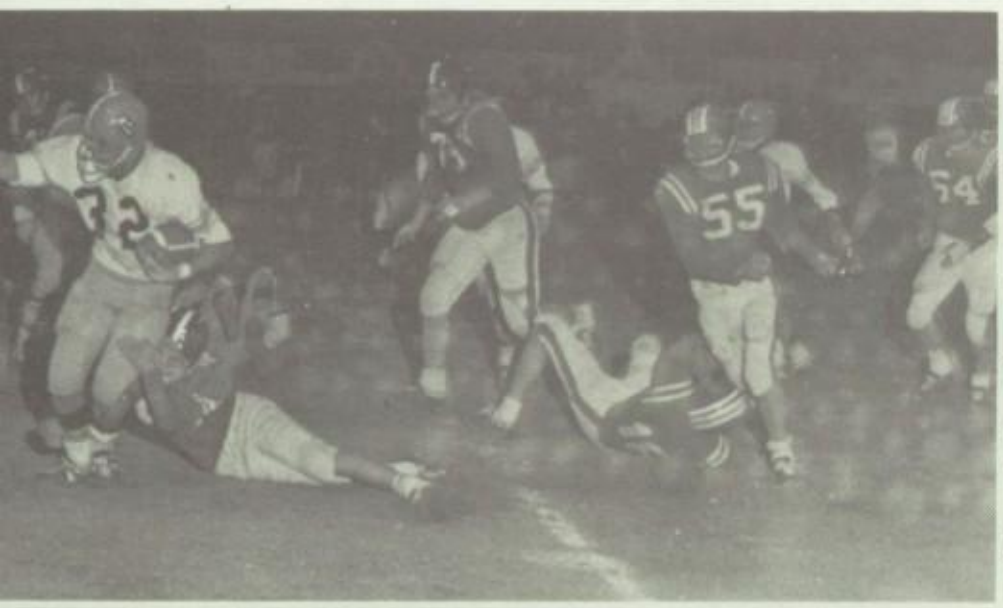
The type of gang tackle that made Round Valley's defense most ferocious and respected during the 1967 campaign is demonstrated here in the Thatcher game. The Elks won easily by a 54-6 margin over the visitors in a conference game.

Charles Wiltbank fights for extra yardage despite pain in a leg injury during the St. Johns game.

Coach Smith and team members give a rousing cheer at the start of a game to show the opponents they are tickled to death to be there whether kicking or receiving.

Coach Reeves tell the team his favorite saying: "Let's get it on" as team members and head scout Darwin Slade look on in halftime break of Sanders game.

Members of the team concentrate and are intensified on halftime game strategy preparation talk.



J.V. Football Team Wins

Coach Darwin Slade was head man for the Elk Junior Varsity Football team while Patrick Miles was the manager.

JUNIOR VARSITY SEASON'S RECORD:

The Elk Junior Varsity won only one game in four tries but provided the varsity team with valuable players through the practice sessions:

Date	Opponent	Score RV	Score OP
Oct. 3	Varsity "Blacks"	6	32
Oct. 5	St. Johns Redskins	6	24
Oct. 14	Alchesay Falcons	13	26
Oct. 21	Alchesay Falcons	12	7

Back Row: Billy Finch, John Cantrell, Richard Strickland, Craig Crosby. Second Row: Steve Hooper, Ellis Lund, Johnny Hall, Karl Rencher, Gregory Lee. Third Row: Billy Greenwood, Robert Hunt, David Walden, Dean Wiltbank, and Robert Perez. Front Row: Kayle Hamblin, Tommy Baca, Don LeSueur, Jimmy Brown, and Steve Slade.

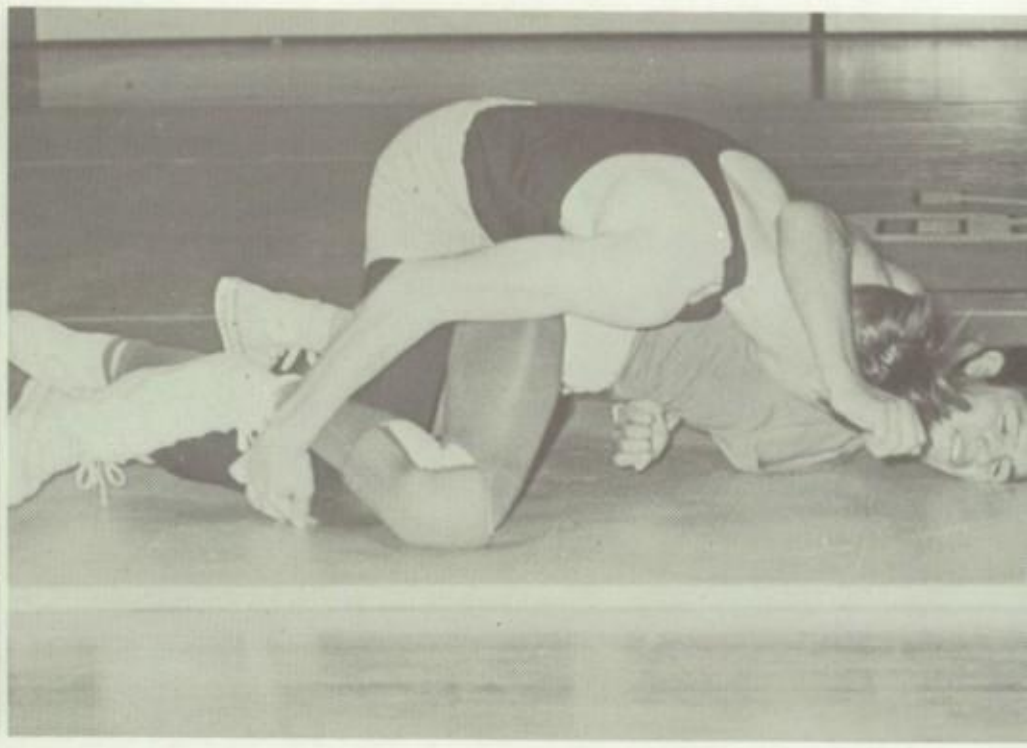
Only One

Don LeSueur stretches out and deflects an Alchesay pass in the game that gave the Jayvees their only victory of the season against Alchesay.

Steve Slade is hit hard by an Alchesay defender and drops a Kayle Hamblin pass. The Falcons had fumbled earlier in the first quarter on the ten-yard line and Steve recovered and ran the ball across to make a 6-0 half time score in favor of the Elks.

Falcons were plentiful as Steve Slade attempted a dive up the middle. The Elks made a good showing against Alchesay in their final game of the season and played steady, rugged ball. Their defense was exceptional and they got several good breaks on offense.

Jimmy Brown attempts to break a Mingus wrestler down on the mat in a meet held in the Elkland gym February 2.



Owen Nelson tries to get a Mingus wrestler into a pinning combination. The Elks lost the meet.

Four Wrestlers Go to State

ELK WRESTLING STATISTICS

Date			Score RV	OP
Dec.	8	St. Johns Redskins	5	45
Jan.	6	Sanders Pirates	29	23
Jan.	12	St. Johns Redskins	21	27
Jan.	19	Sanders Pirates	25	23
Jan.	30	Window Rock Scouts	12	38
Feb.	2	Mingus Marauders	3	45
Feb.	3	Window Rock Scouts	24	26

Season's Record: Won 2, Lost 5

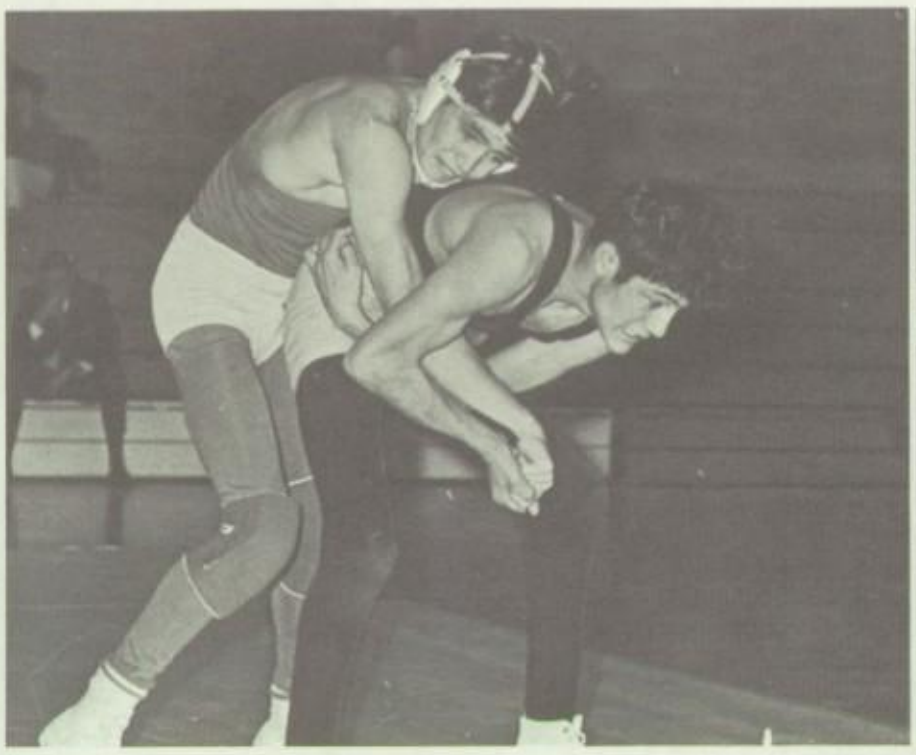
WRESTLING TOURNAMENTS

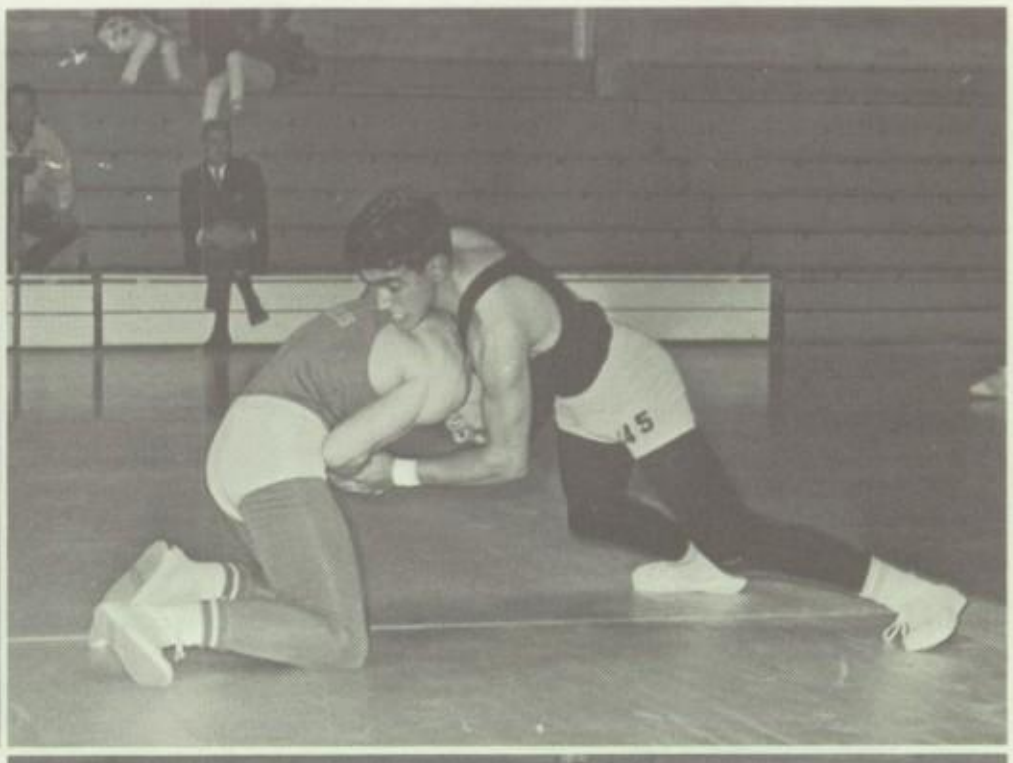
Jan. 27: Winslow Tournament, Elks scored 10 points.

Feb. 9: Snowflake Tournament, Elks scored 10 points in district qualifying meet and four Elks became eligible to represent school at state tournament.

Feb. 16-17: State Tournament, Benson. Elks scored no points. Represented by Danny Brown, Denny Finch, Glenn Finch and J. J. Rodriguez.

On the Elk Wrestling Team are: Owen Nelson, J. J. Rodriguez, Jimmy Brown, Glenn Finch, Denny Finch, Danny Brown, Robert Hunt, Jimmy Finch,Marshall Reed and Arnie Moya. Not pictured are wrestlers: Arturo Retana, Conrad Rodriguez, David Walden, Mike Isaac, Frank Haws, Johnny Montoya, Russell Bloomfield. Managers were Carl Whiting and Craig Coombs and the team was coached by Darwin Slade.



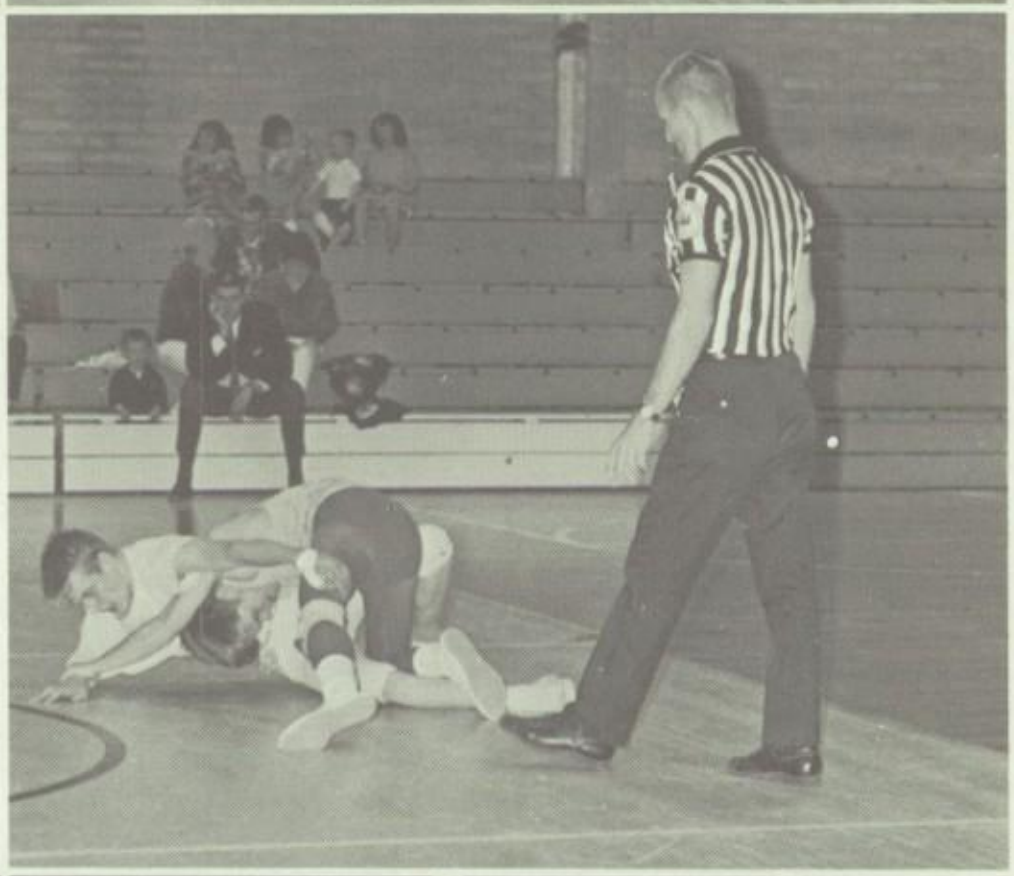


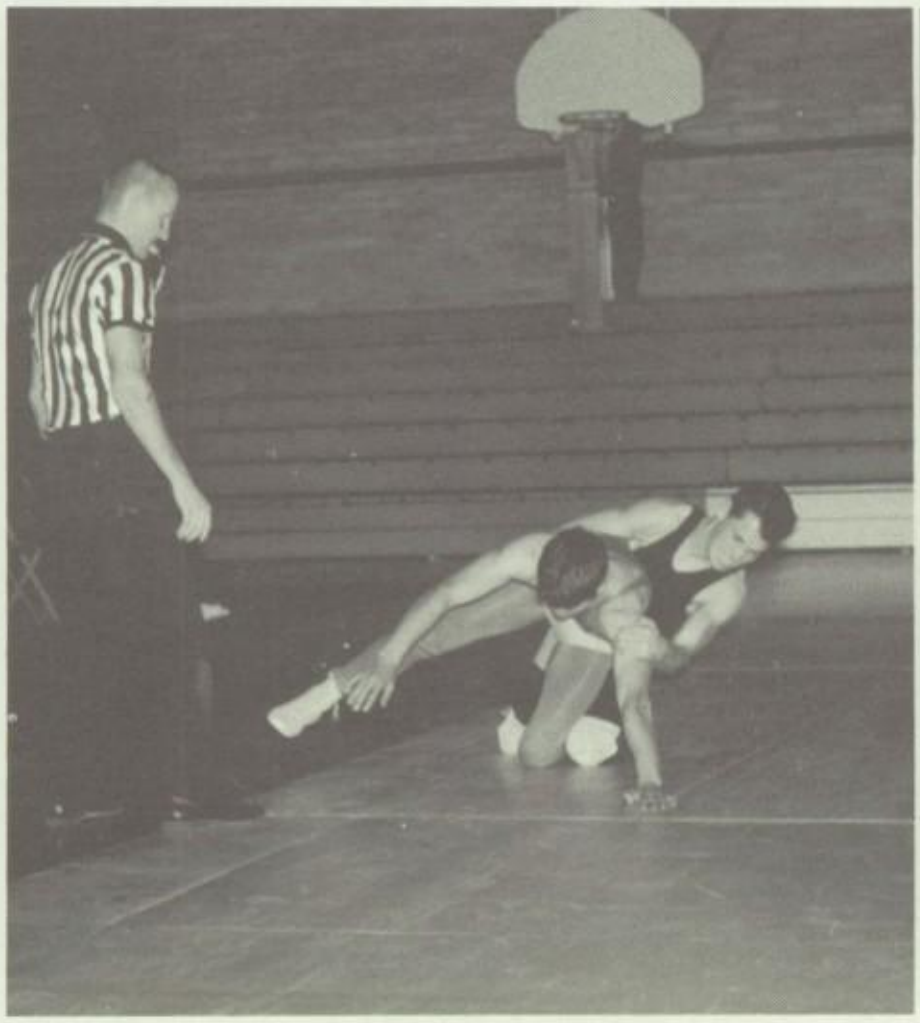
Arnie Moya tries to escape from a Mingus wrestler while J. J. Rodriguez tries to get a "take down".

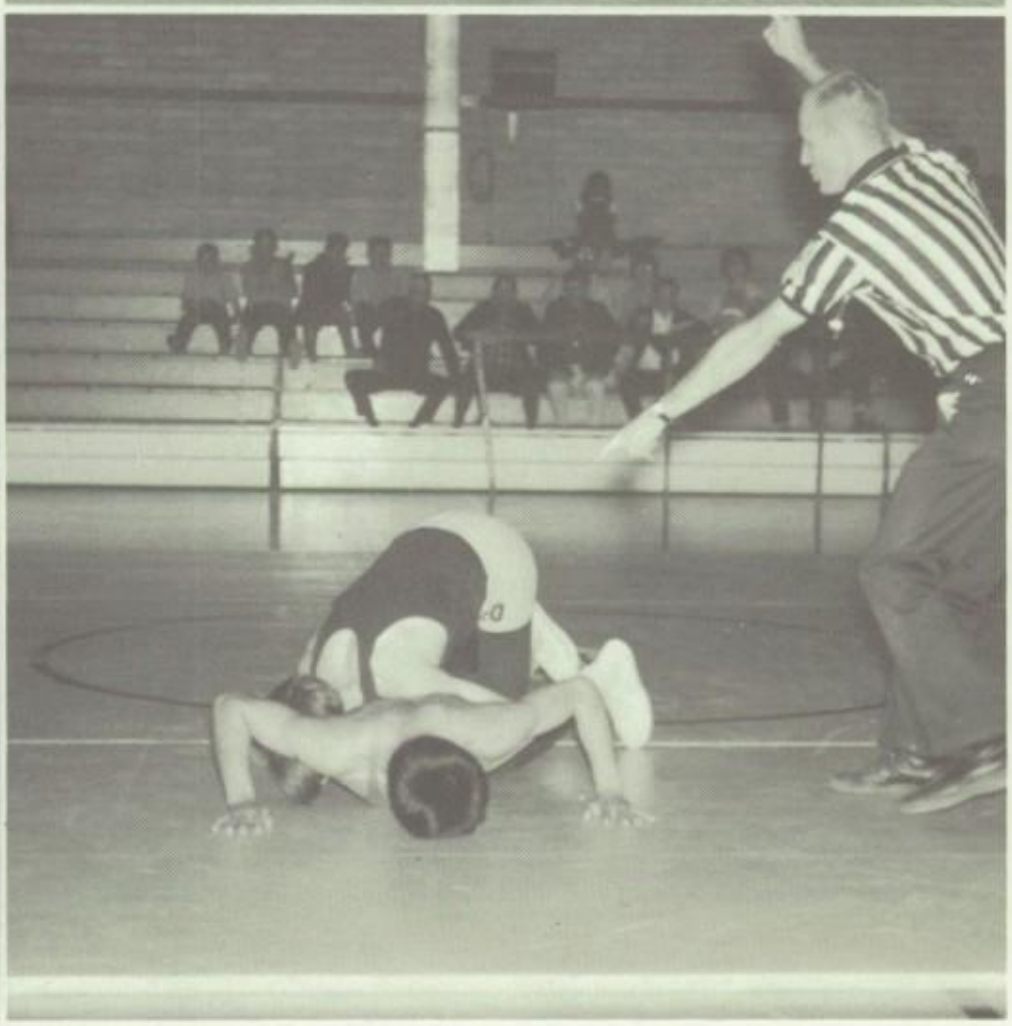
Tournament

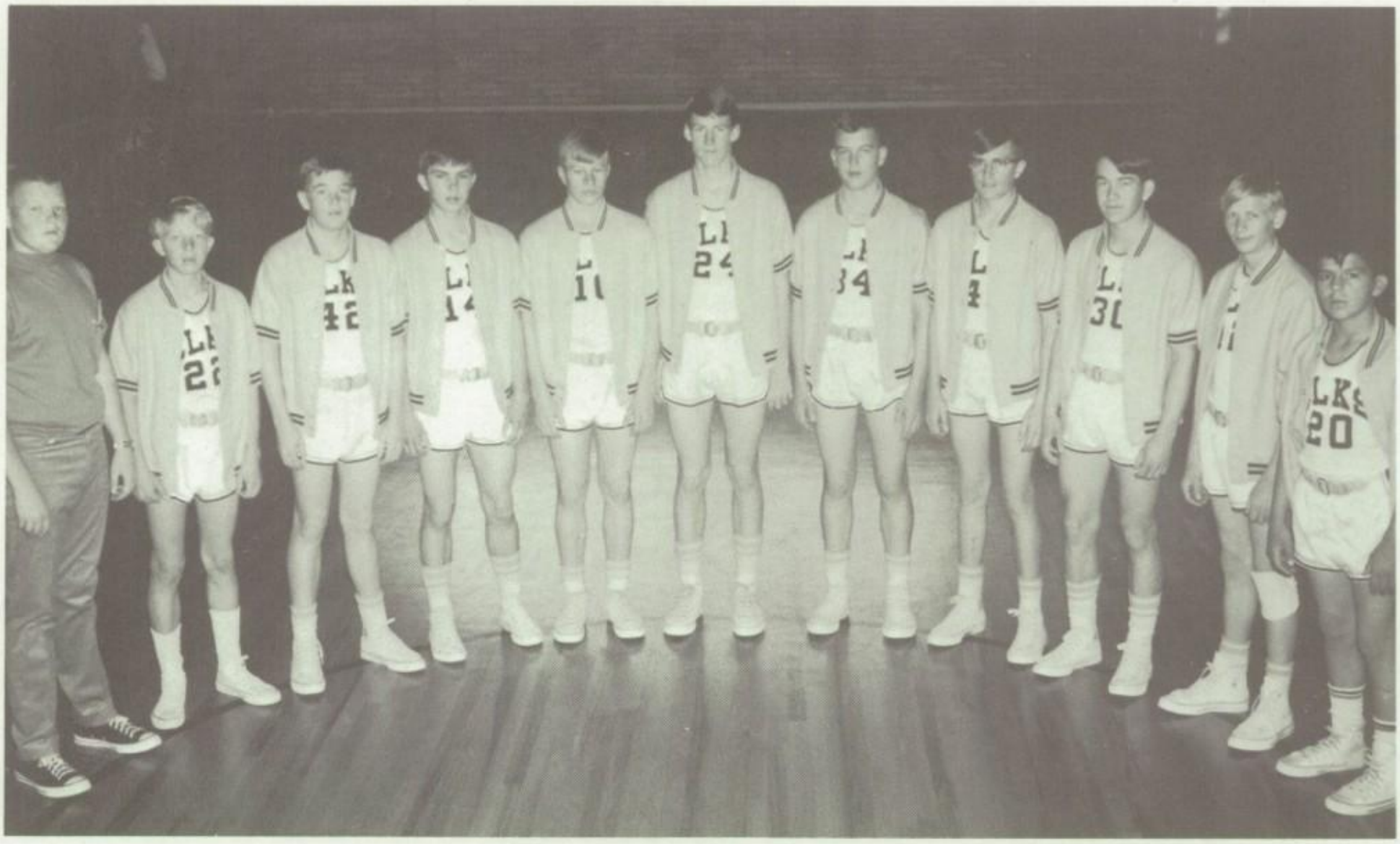
David Walden attempts to escape or keep his shoulders off the mat in a J. V. exhibition match with Mingus. Denny Finch tries to a wrestler down on the mat and Danny Brown gets a point because the bottom man is stalling.

Top scorers of the Elk wrestling team and representatives at state were: Danny Brown with 29 points, Denny Finch with 25 points, J. J. Rodriguez with 21 points and Glenn Finch with 20 points.









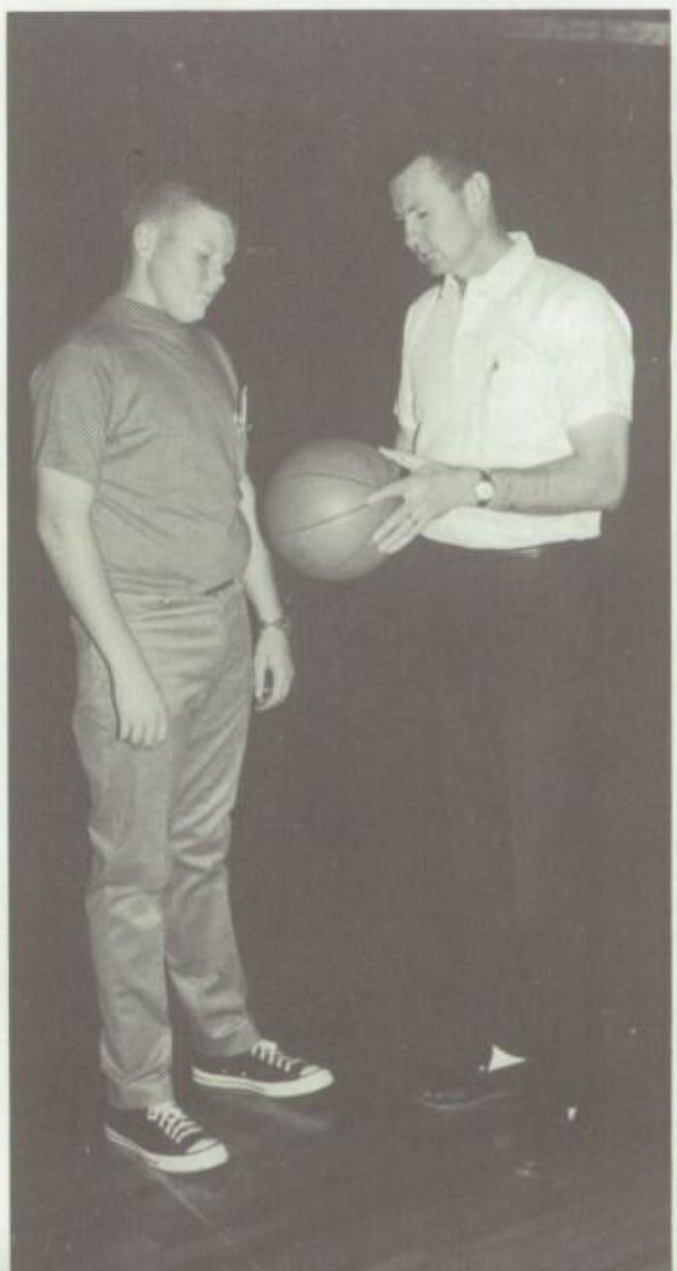
Manager Don LeSueur, Gregory Lee, Craig Crosby, Steve Slade, Kayle Hamblin, Steve Wiltbank, Dean Wiltbank, Billy Greenwood, Johnny Hall, Billy Finch, and Trini Logan make up the Freshman Basketball Team.

Frosh Cagers Win Six, Lose Two

FRESHMAN
BASKETBALL STATISTICS

Date		Opponent	Score RV	OP
Dec.	8	Snowflake Frosh	34	25
Jan.	9	Alchesay Frosh	38	41
Jan.	12	St. Johns Frosh	28	25
Jan.	19	Blue Ridge Frosh	30	24
Jan.	20	Alchesay Frosh	42	60
Jan.	30	Snowflake Frosh	30	20
Feb.	8	St. Johns Frosh	41	38
Feb.	9	Blue Ridge Frosh	40	22

Season's Record: Won 6, Lost 2



The Freshman Basketball Team was coached by Marlin LeSueur pictured here discussing some team strategy with Frosh Manager Don LeSueur.

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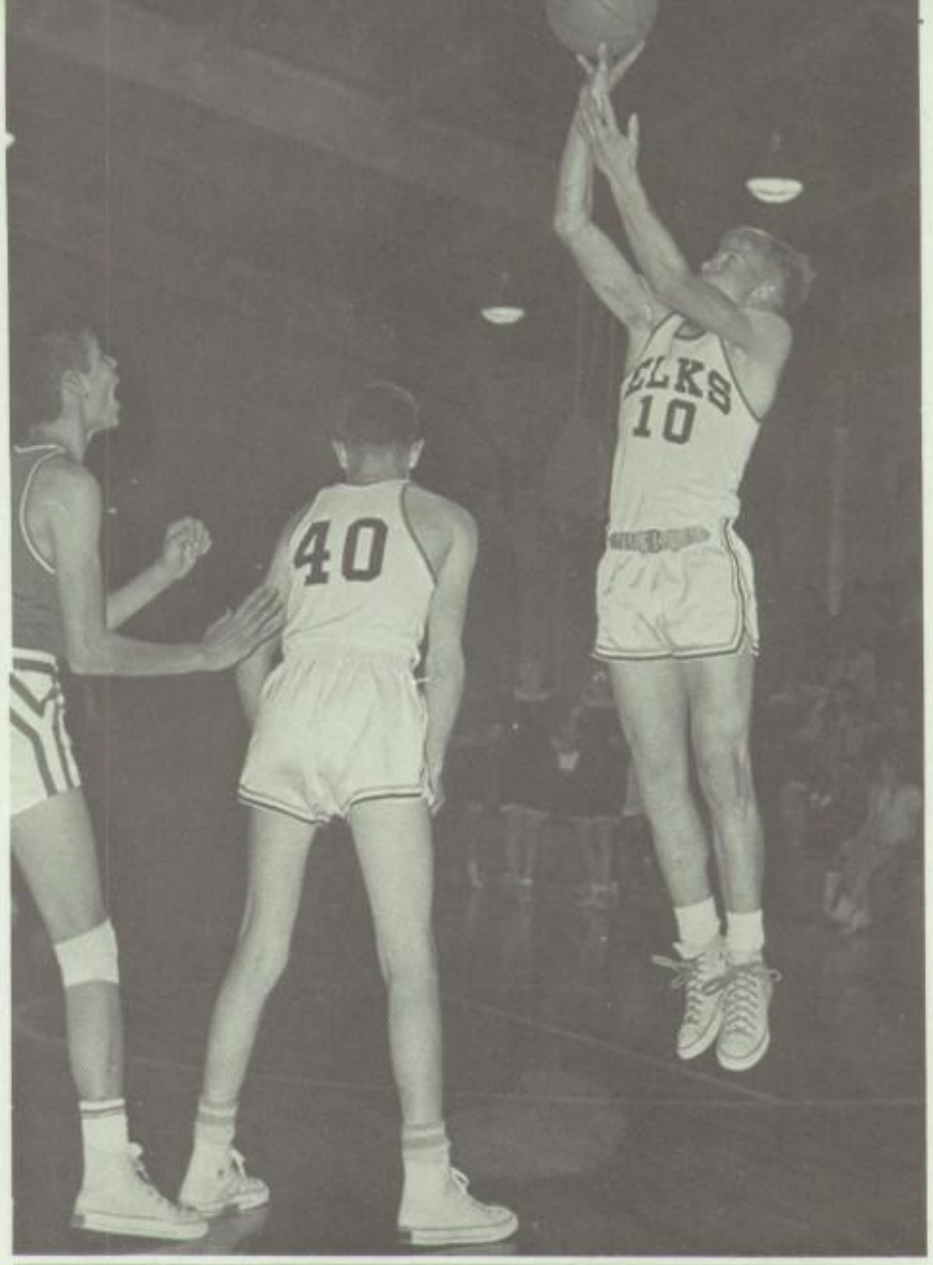
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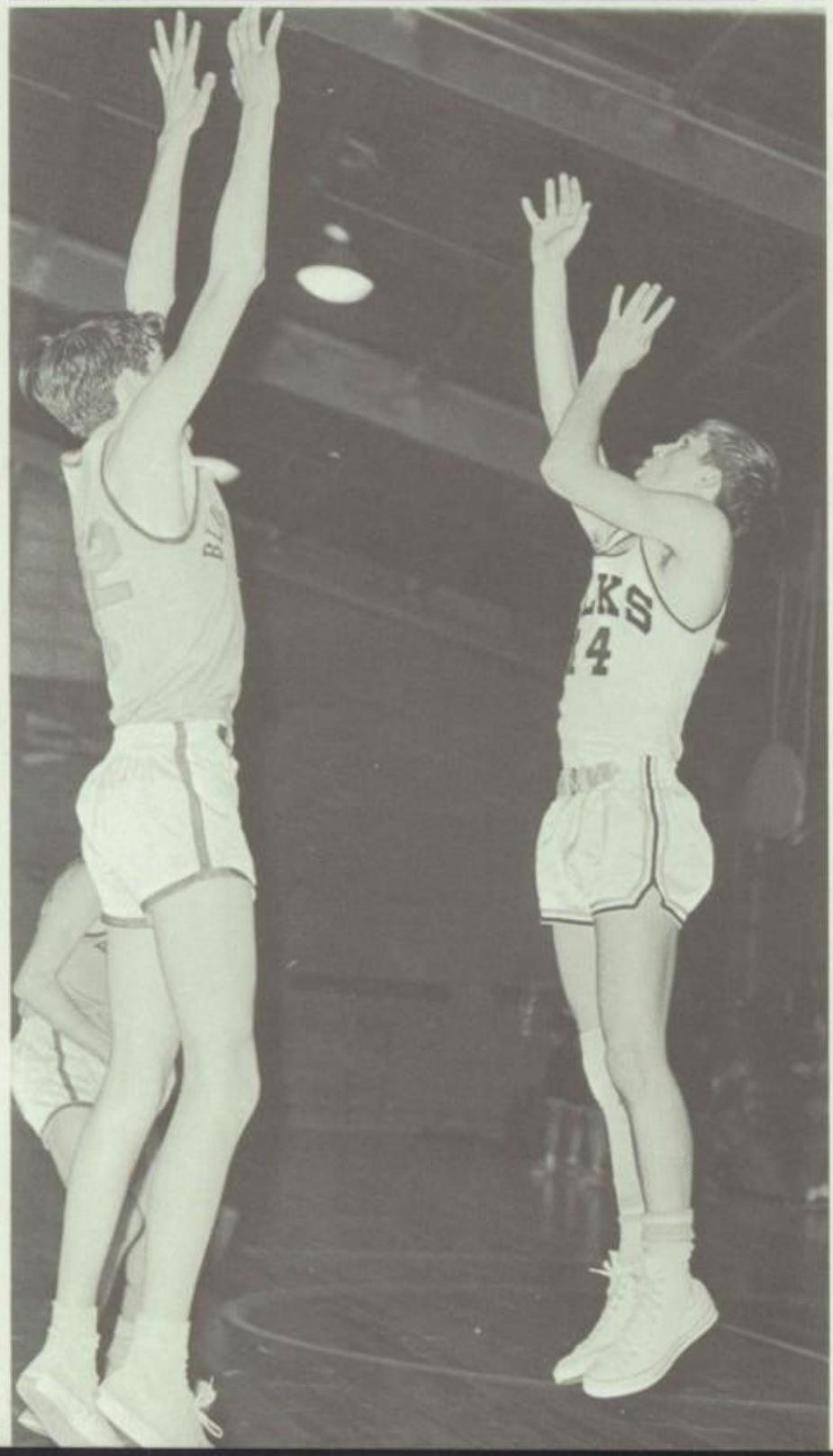
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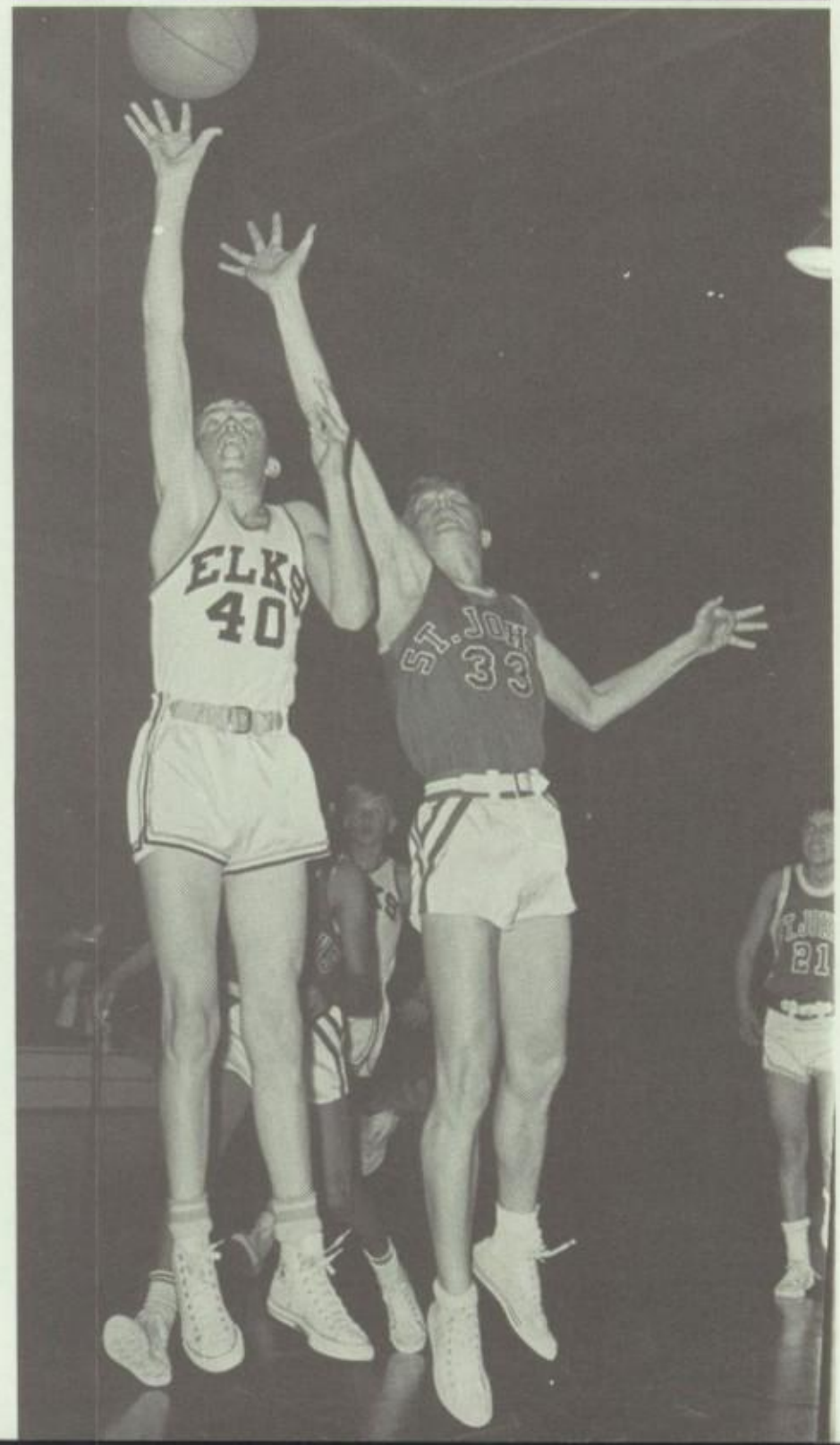
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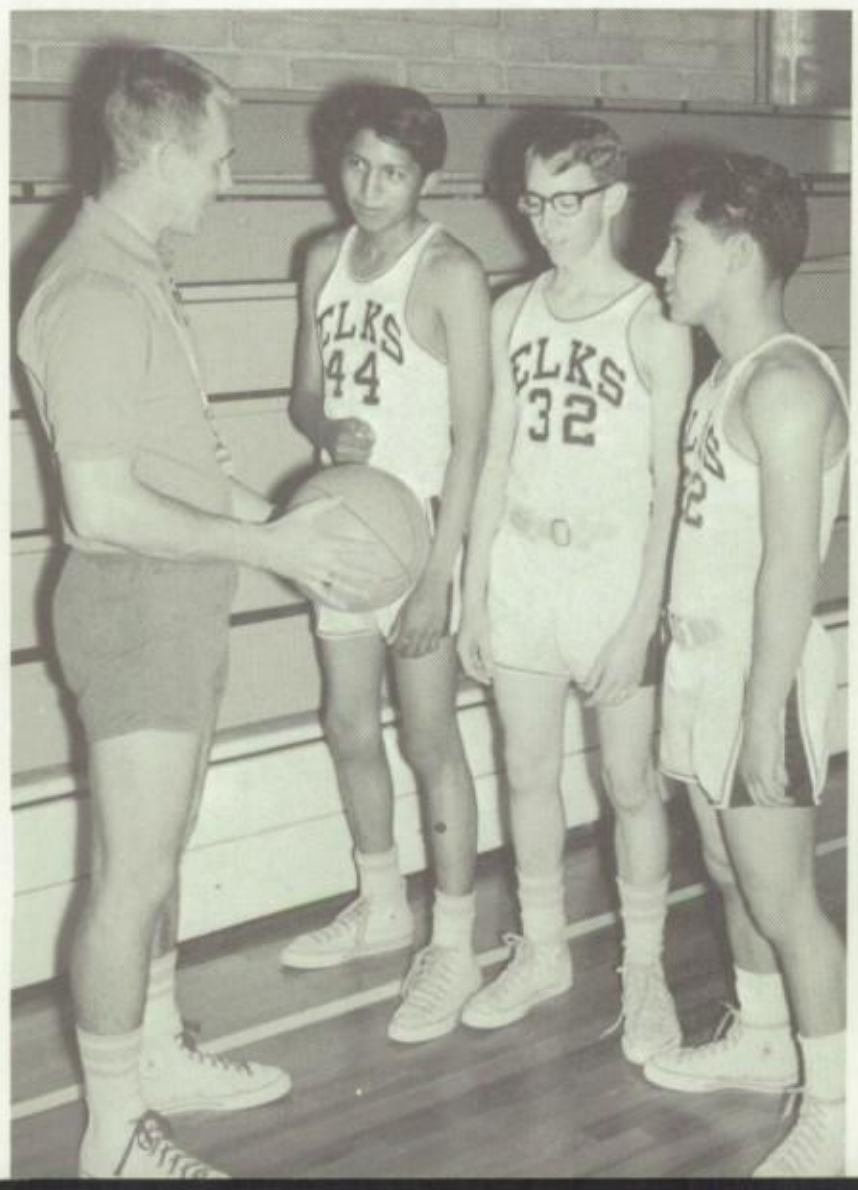
Elk Junior Varsity Team: Coach Diz Reeves, Johnny Chavez, Travis Lytle, Clayton Slade, Anthony James, Steve Wiltbank, Ken Harper, Joe Tsosie, Kayle Hamblin, Lupe Logan, Jerry Wiltbank and Jack Johnson. Fred Lomeli is not pictured.

Jayvees Beat Blue Ridge 109-35

Coach Diz Reeves discusses some plays with top scorers: Tony James, Jerry Wiltbank and Johnny Chavez.



JUNIOR VARSITY STATISTICS

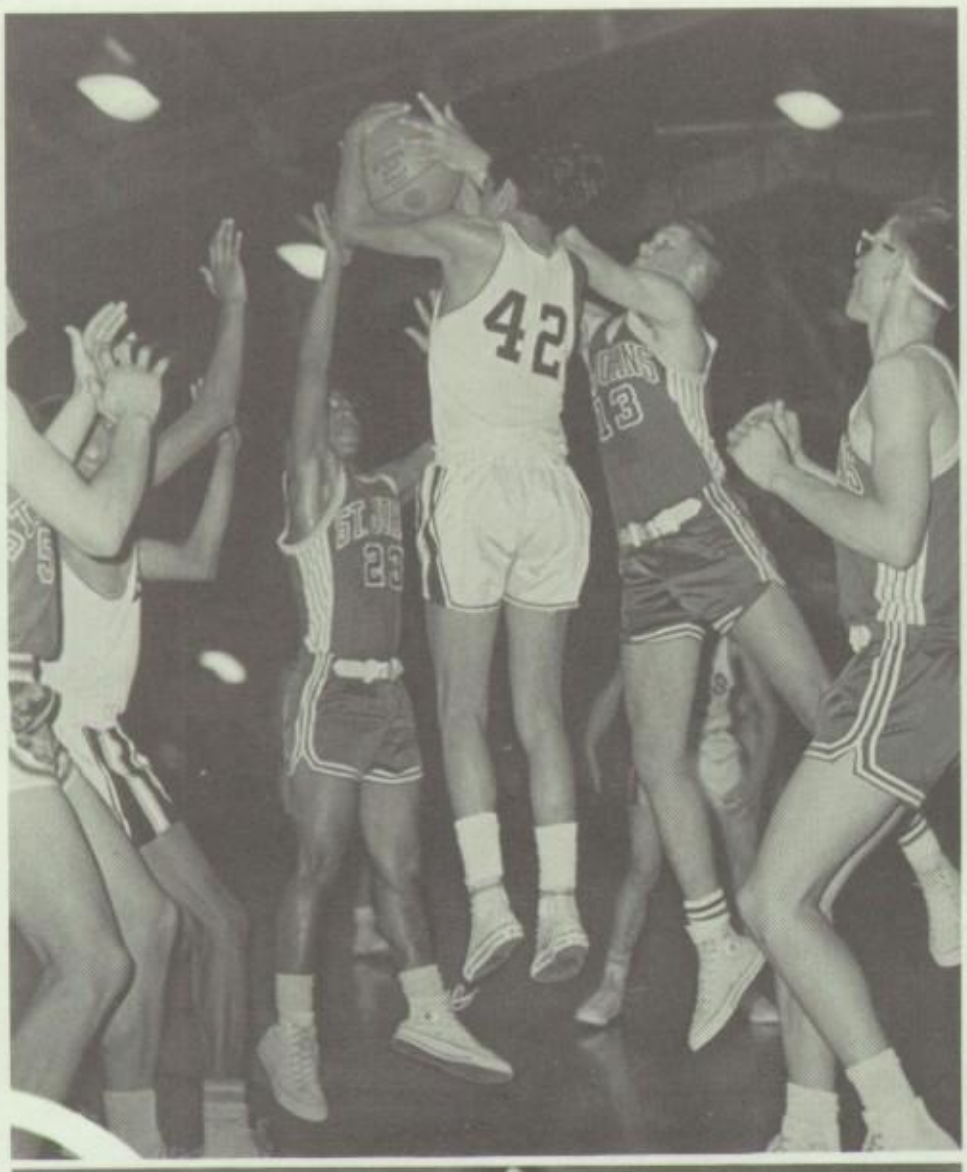
Date		Opponents	Score RV	Score OP
Dec.	2	Sanders Pirates	77	42
Dec.	8	Snowflake Lobos	48	60
Dec.	9	Zuni Thunderbirds	58	24
Jan.	4	Reserve Mountaineers	68	30
Jan.	5	Thatcher Eagles	79	30
Jan.	9	Alchesay Falcons	57	59
Jan.	12	St. Johns Redskins	43	59
Jan.	13	Thunderbirds	37	35
Jan.	19	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets	109	35
Jan.	20	Alchesay Falcons	72	57
Jan.	26	Clifton Trojans	66	57
Jan.	27	Duncan Wildkats	62	61 OT
Jan.	30	Snowflake Lobos	73	62
Feb.	1	Pima Roughriders	61	54
Feb.	2	Thatcher Eagles	69	32
Feb.	9	St. Johns Redskins	58	67
Feb.	10	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets	81	53
Feb.	16	Duncan Wildkats	76	62
Feb.	17	Clifton Trojans	52	44

Season's Record: Won 15, Lost 4
Conference Record: Won 9, Lost 3
Averaged 65.6 Pts. per game compared to an average points scored for opponents of 48.6.

Jerry Wiltbank was high scorer for J.V. with 237 points. Averaged 13 pts. per game.

Anthony James was second highest scorer with 205 points. Averaged 11 pts. per game.

Johnny Chavez and Clayton Slade tied for free throw average with .59. Lupe Logan made most free throws–63.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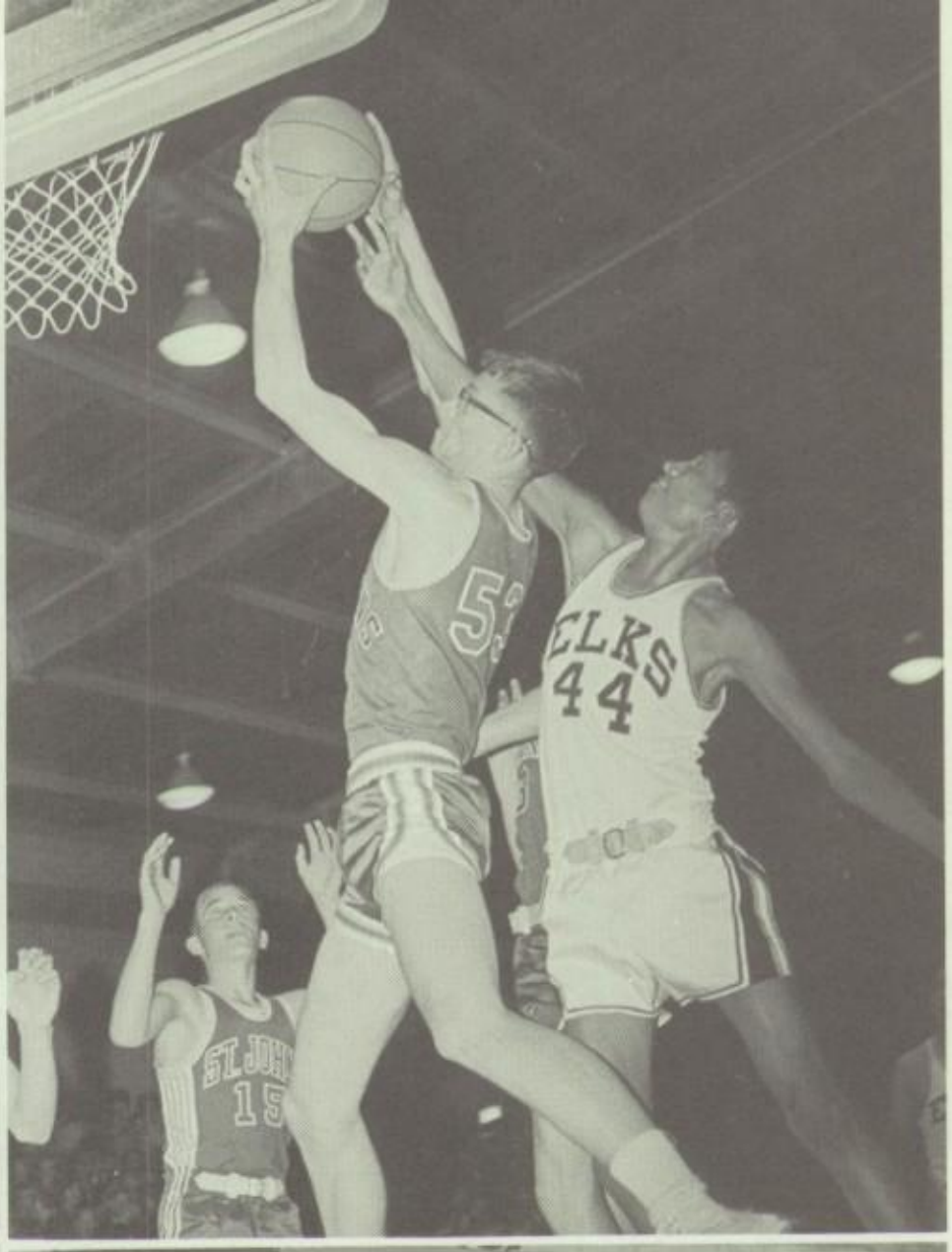
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Larry Whitmer, Coach Marlin LeSueur, Ron Johnson, Bobby Peters, Dennis Wilkins, Charles Wiltbank, Ron Carrillo, Eldon Pond, Wayne Wiltbank, Alan Slade, Clay Hall, Coach Diz Reeves and Managers Don LeSueur, Donald Nelson, Kayle Haws make up the varsity basketball team. Dale Hall is not pictured.

Varsity Elks Accomplish First

VARSITY ELK BASKETBALL STATISTICS

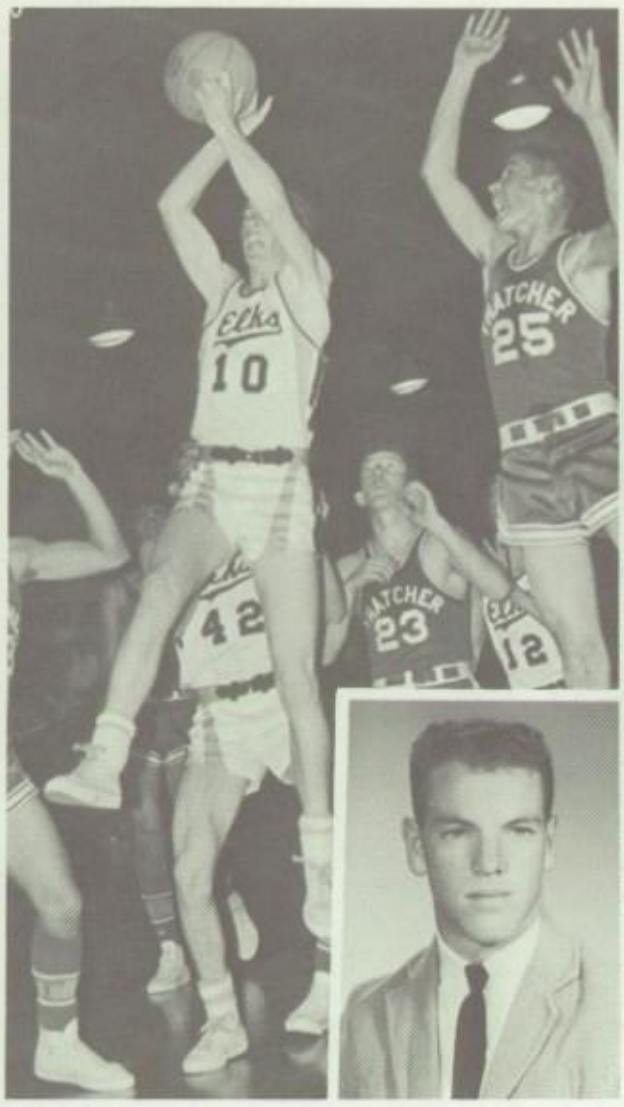
Date	Opponents	Score RV	OP
Dec. 2	Sanders Pirates	65	40
Dec. 8	Snowflake Lobos	48	43
Dec. 9	Zuni (N.M.) Thunderbirds	73	44
Jan. 4	Reserve (N.M.) Mountaineers	70	47
*Jan. 5	Thatcher Eagles	60	31
*Jan. 9	Alchesay Falcons	79	54
*Jan. 12	St. Johns Redskins	67	41
Jan. 13	Zuni (N.M.) Thunderbirds	67	44
*Jan. 19	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets	71	61
*Jan. 20	Alchesay Falcons	62	52
*Jan. 26	Clifton Trojans	102	78
*Jan. 27	Duncan Wildkats	70	50
Jan. 30	Snowflake Lobos	76	60
Feb. 1	Pima Roughriders	76	68
*Feb. 2	Thatcher Eagles	55	45
*Feb. 9	St. Johns Redskins	65	50
*Feb. 10	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets	81	48
*Feb. 16	Duncan Wildkats	55	42
*Feb. 17	Clifton Trojans	95	59

*Conference games

Season's Record:
Won 19, Lost 0
Conference Record:
Won 12, Lost 0

Scored 1337 points to 957 points for opponents. Averaged 70.4 pts. per game to 50.4 pts. per game for opponents.

Assistant Coach Diz Reeves and Head Coach Marlin LeSueur discuss some plays with Eldon Pond, Charles Wiltbank, Ron Johnson and Wayne Wiltbank.



Senior Bobby Peters was chosen captain by his teammates for a 2nd year. He scored 202 points, had 163 rebounds, 40 free throws.

Coach LeSueur goes over strategy during a half time locker room session with members of the varsity squad: Charles Wiltbank, Eldon Pond, Ronnie Carrillo and Ron Johnson. The Elks were undefeated in regular season play with 19 wins to their credit.

Perfect Year in Elkland History

Ron Carrillo, Senior
246 points, 117 rebounds,
36 free throws

Eldon Pond, Junior
138 points, 103 rebounds,
46 free throws

Clay Hall, Senior
186 points, 70 rebounds,
38 free throws

Alan Slade, Junior
38 points, 29 rebounds,
11 free throws

Larry Whitmer, Senior
6 points, 15 rebounds
2 free throws

Dennis Wilkins, Junior
137 points, 121 rebounds,
39 free throws

Dale Hall, Junior
51 points, 47 rebounds,
17 free throws

Charles Wiltbank, Junior
277 points, 230 rebounds
61 free throws

Ron Johnson, Junior
12 points, 14 rebounds,
8 free throws

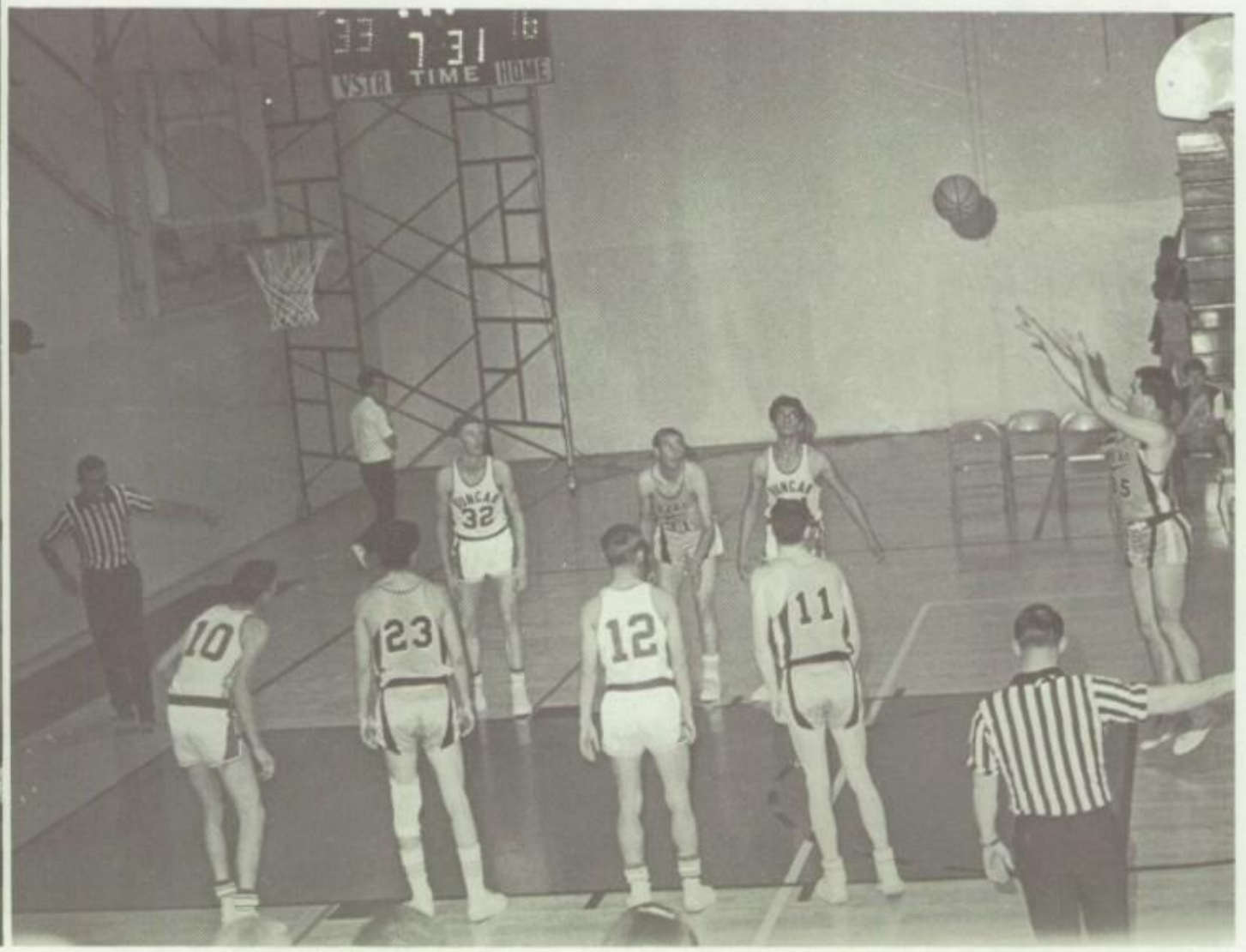
Wayne Wiltbank, Junior
40 points, 50 rebounds,
10 free throws

Varsity Breaks Scoring Records

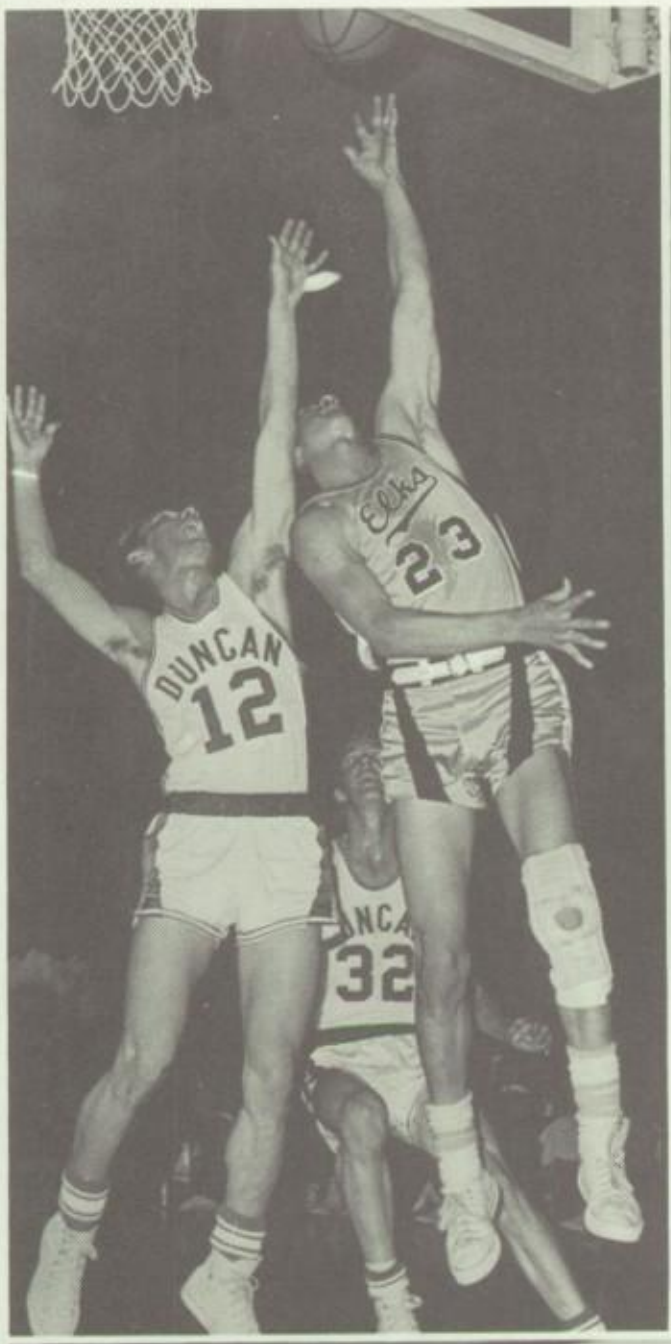
Scoring records were broken when the Elks hit 101 points with 11 seconds to go in the Clifton game. The final score was 102-78.

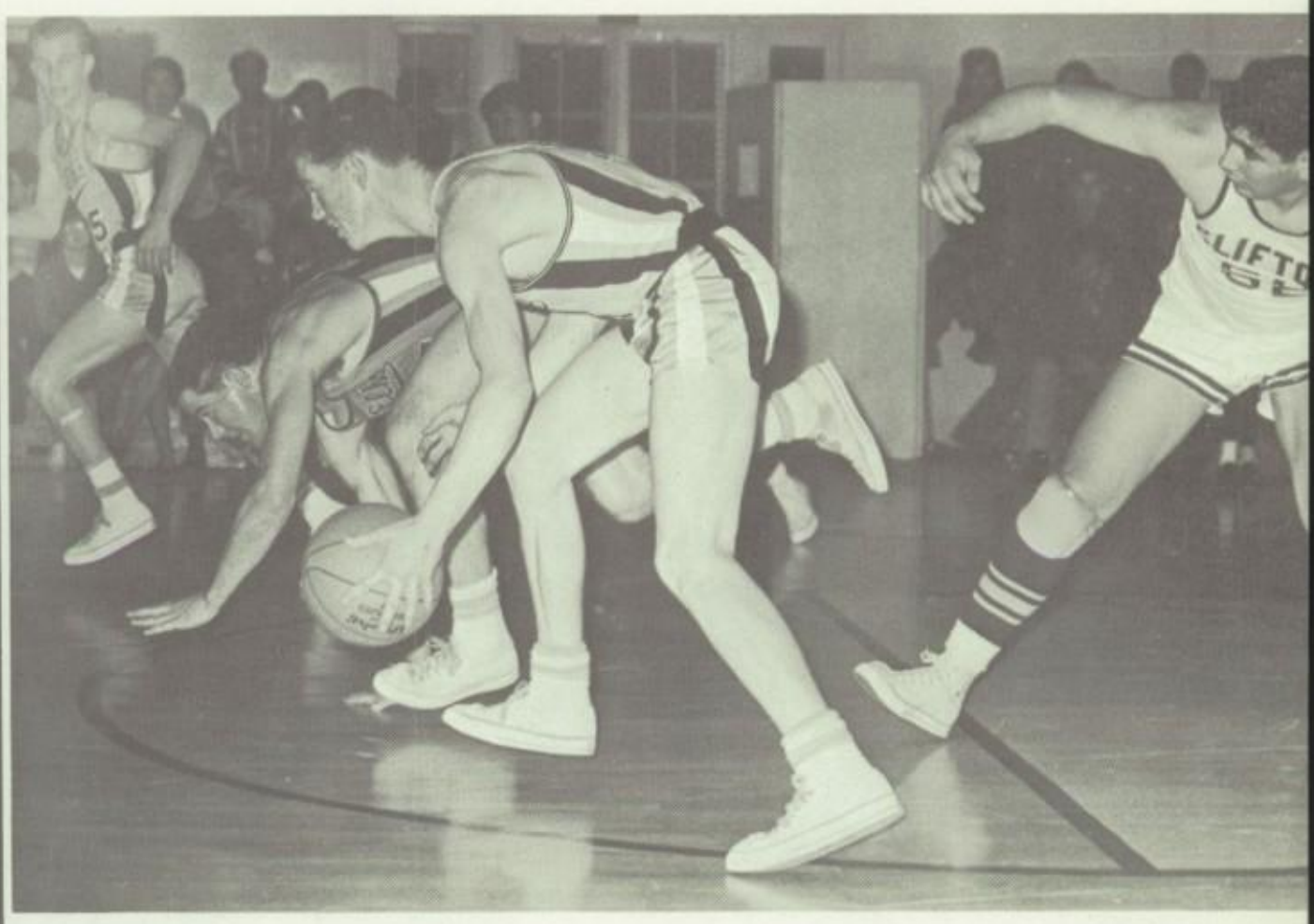
Charles Wiltbank jumps high for the ball in the Clifton game. Clay Hall scores 2 points against Alchesay.

Charles was the Elks' leading scorer. Here he shoots from the free throw line in a game the Elks won 70-50.



with 102 Points Against Clifton



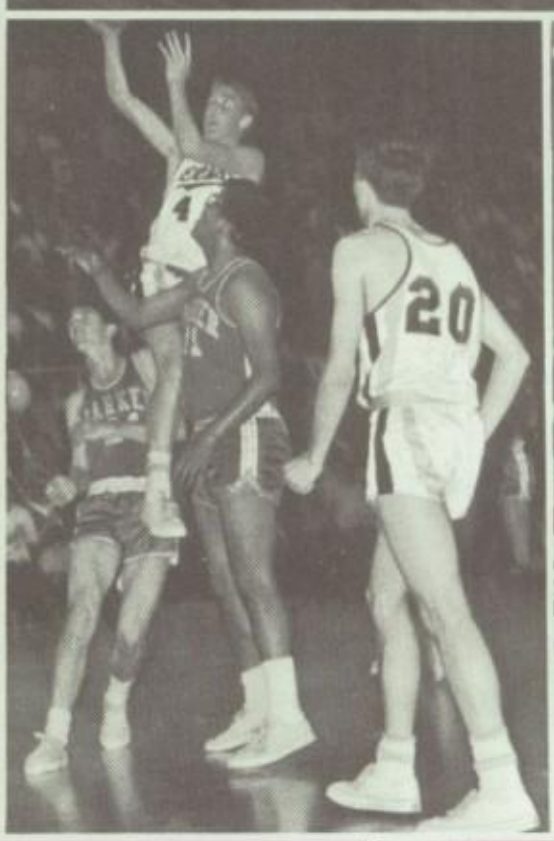


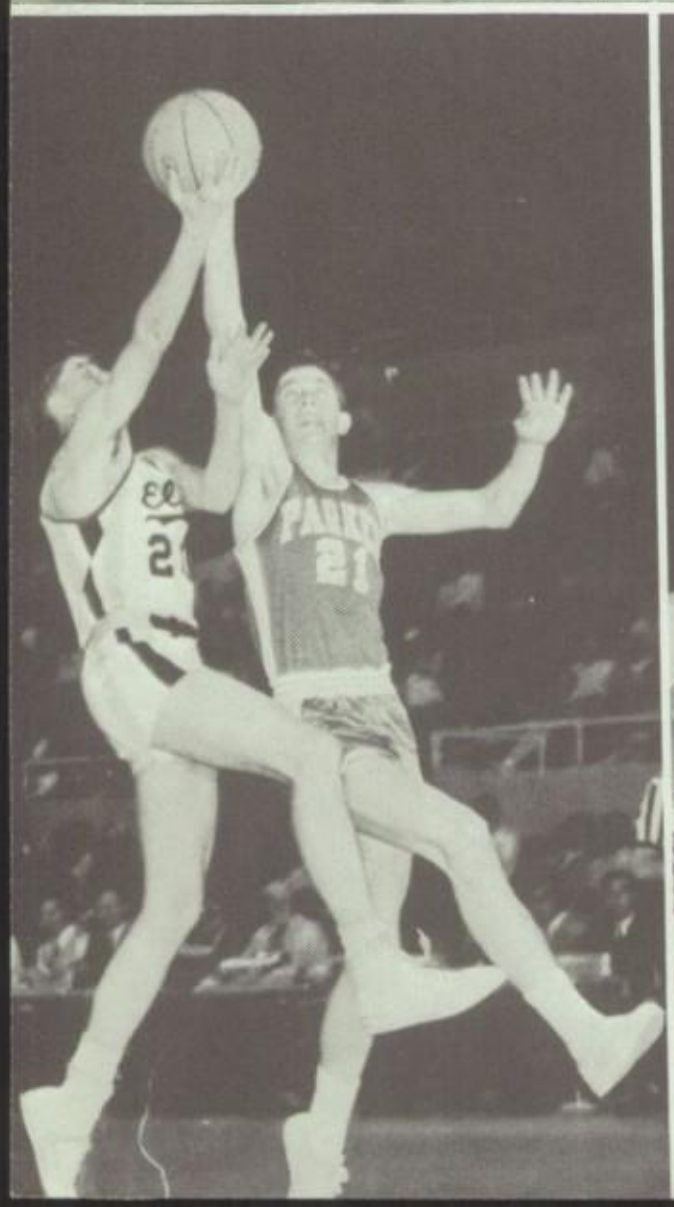
Ronnie Carrillo shoots for two in the Duncan game while Pace rebounds.

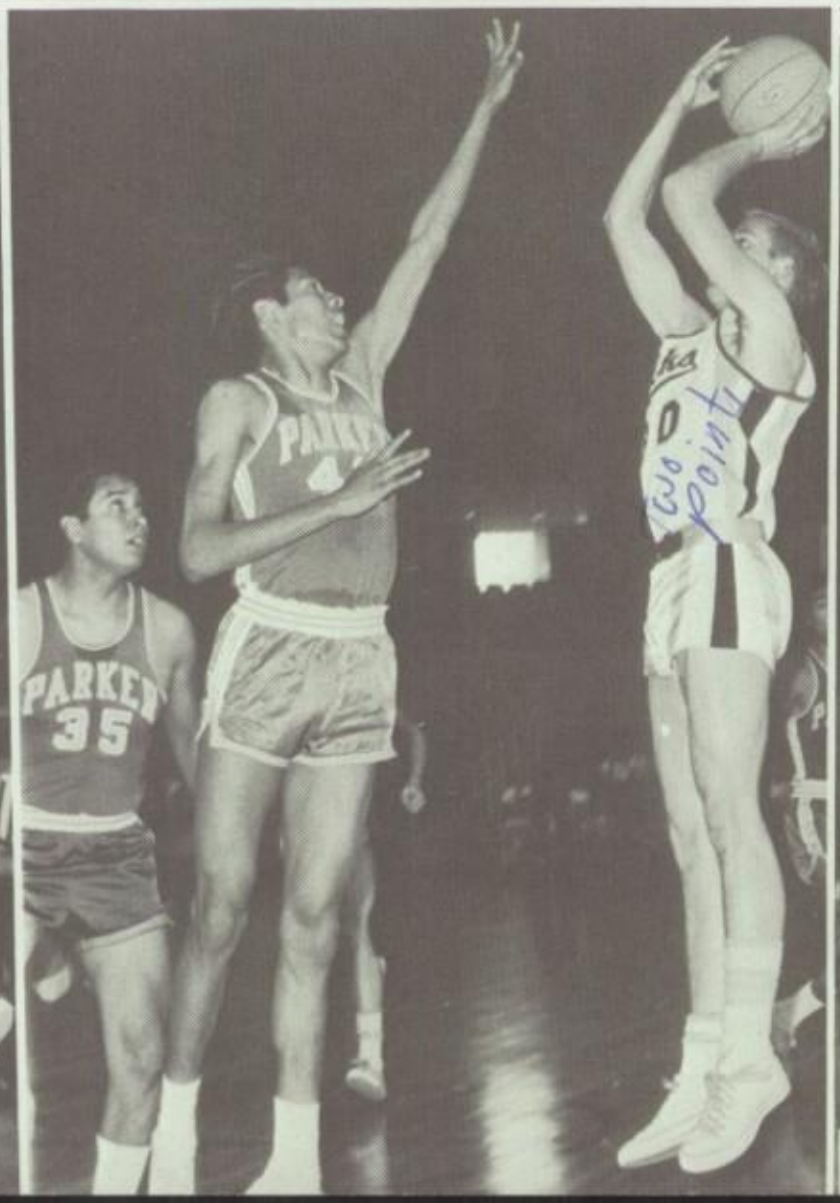
The Elks beat St. Johns twice during the season: 67-41 and 65-50 in B East play.

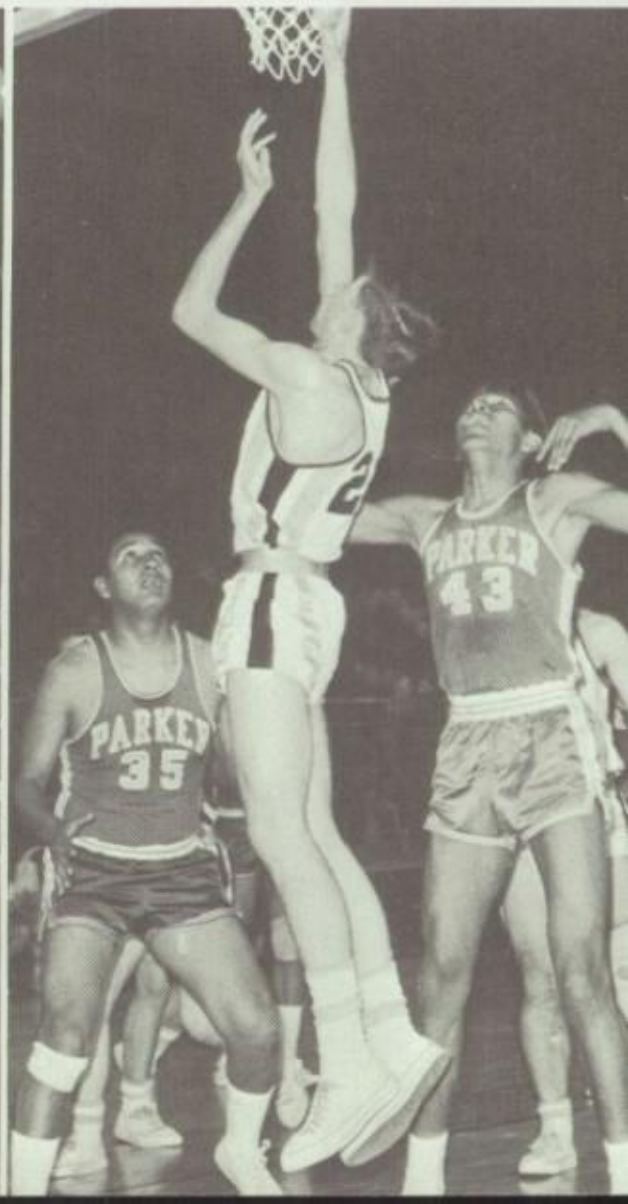
It looked more like a football game than basketball when the Elks played on the Clifton floor January 26. Ronnie Carrillo dribbles the ball down the court in the Alchesay game.

Elks Go to State - Beat Florence



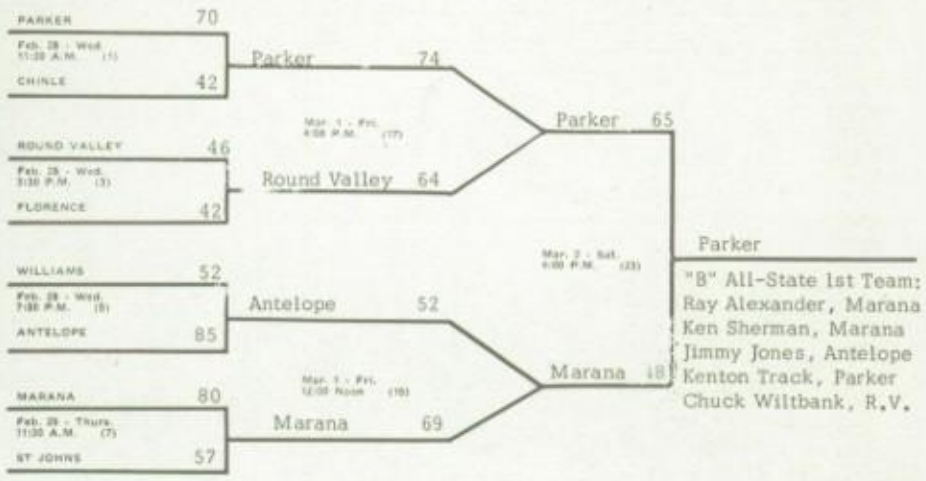






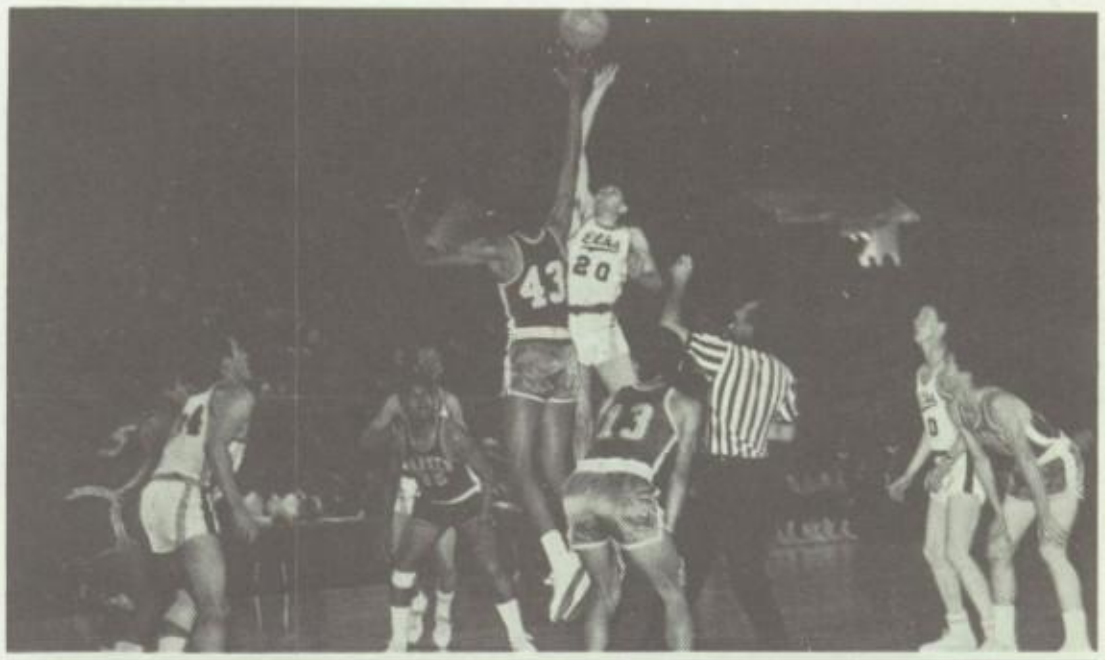
and Then Lose by Ten to Parker

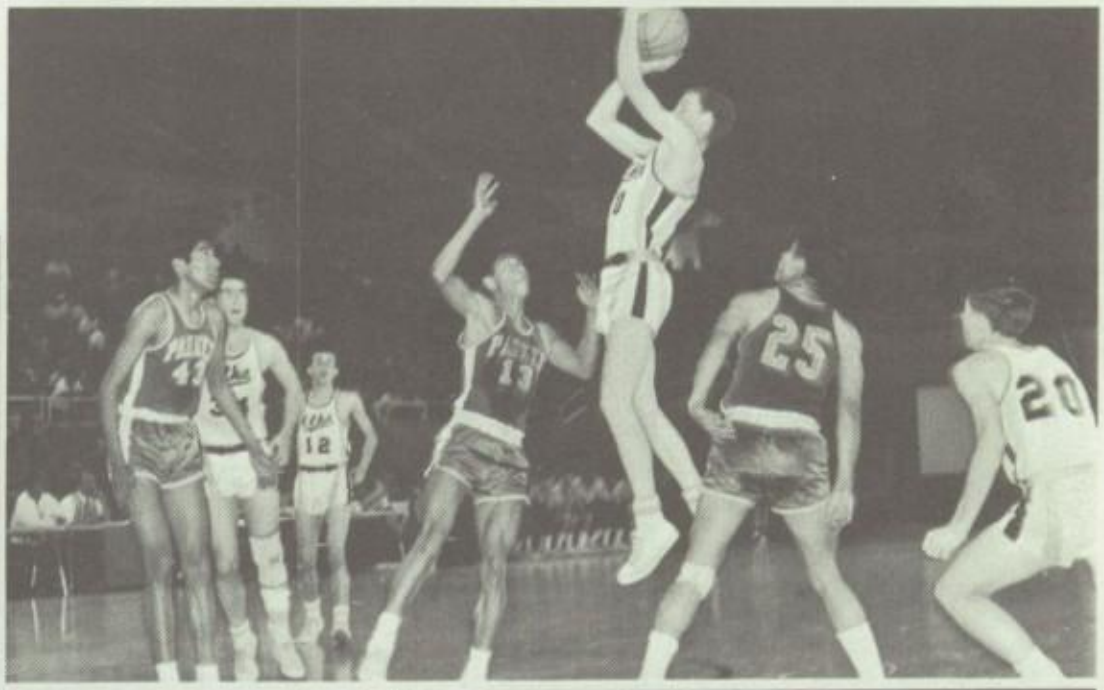
"B" Conference State Tournament

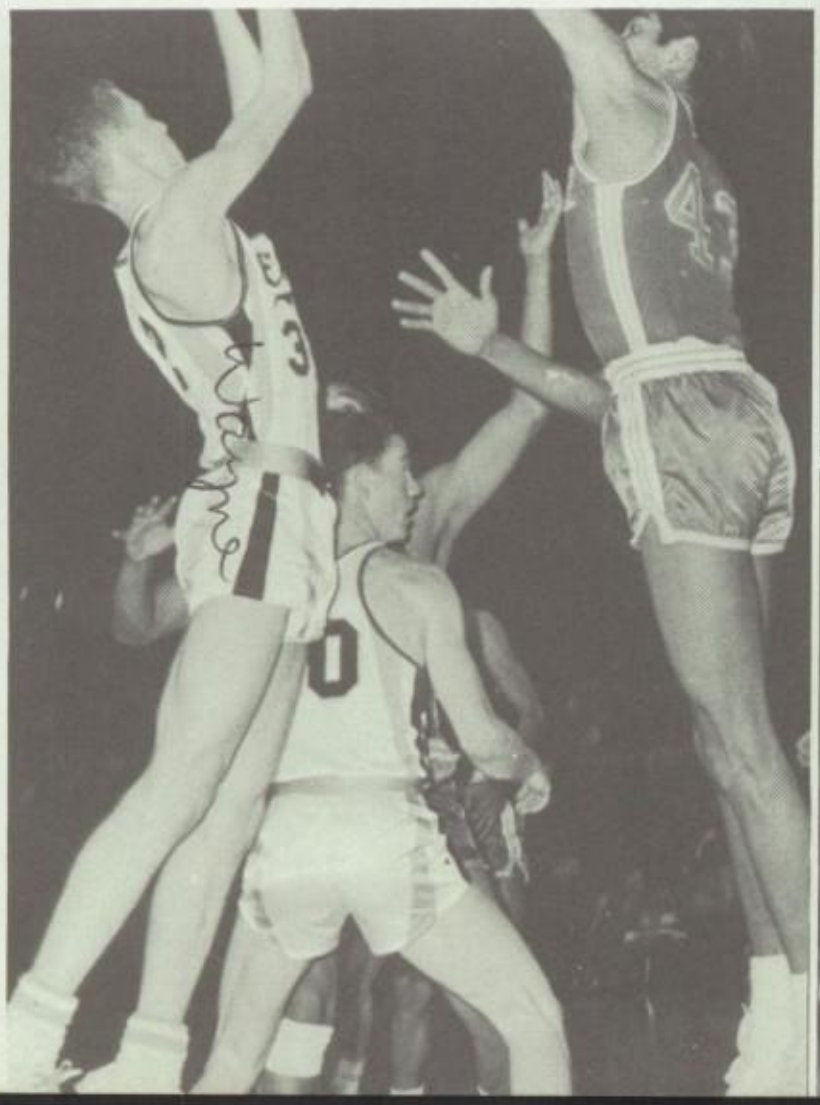


"B" All-State 1st Team:
Ray Alexander, Marana
Ken Sherman, Marana
Jimmy Jones, Antelope
Kenton Track, Parker
Chuck Wiltbank, R.V.

The Elks represented the B East Conference as its number 1 team at the state tournament. The team was without the services of two of its regular season starters but managed to win by 4 points over B Central powerhouse Florence in the first round game. Parker proved to be the undoing of the team as they scored a 10 point victory over the Elks in the semi-final round of the tournament. Parker went on to win the championship, its second state win in a row. Charles Wiltbank was named to the all-state first team.







Freshmen Add Pep, Enthusiasm to Games

Marsha Copeland, Peggy Slade, Elaine Wilkins and Donna LeSueur practice cheers on the front lawn prior to basketball season. The four were chosen in a popular election by members of the class to lead cheers.

"Now let's begin by giving a cheer, a great big cheer our boys can hear" rang out through the Elkland gym during one of the freshman games. The four cheerleaders kept spirit high despite few people attending games.

J.V. Cheerleaders Keep Team Spirit High

Elkland's Junior Varsity cheerleaders cheered their team on to victory during football and basketball seasons. Lynda Hill, a Junior, was head cheerleader while others on the team were: Debra Hall, Sophomore; Kaynetta Slade, Junior; and Laura Harlan, Sophomore.

Football uniforms consisted of black corduroy skirts and weskits worn with gold puffed sleeved blouses. Uniforms for basketball season were gold and white checked dacron dresses with white eyelet embroidered ruffles inset. They were lined and accented with black.

Tana Ashcroft, Head

Gloria Queen

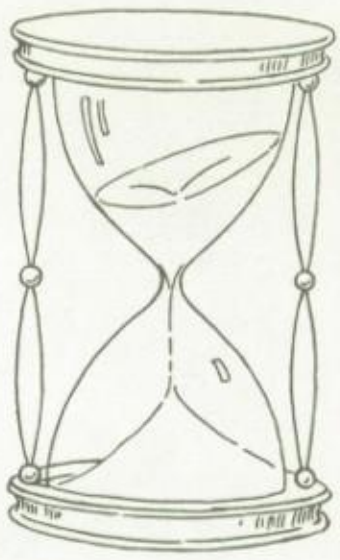
Tonna Sherwood

Janice Waelbroeck

Varsity Cheerleaders: "We've Got Spirit!"

The Varsity Cheerleaders demonstrated the fact that they had spirit at many pre-game pep assemblies, pep rallies and at all games. Senior Tana Ashcroft was head cheerleader while others on the team were Senior Gloria Queen, Senior Tonna Sherwood and Junior Janice Waelbroeck.

Football uniforms consisted of longwaisted dresses with gold corduroy tops and gold corduroy skirts with black window pane design and black trim. Basketball uniforms were black acetate "A" line shifts with gold trim and a big, gold bow in back.



"Time will not be ours for ever,
He, at length, our good will sever."
—Ben Jonson—

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Yearbook Teams Up with

Floran Becker served as editor-in-chief of the 1968 ELK and Mrs. Jo An Blair was the advisor. Becky Silva, index editor; Bill Coleman, head photographer; and Patsy Eagar, Business Manager headed sections along with Editor Floran Becker.

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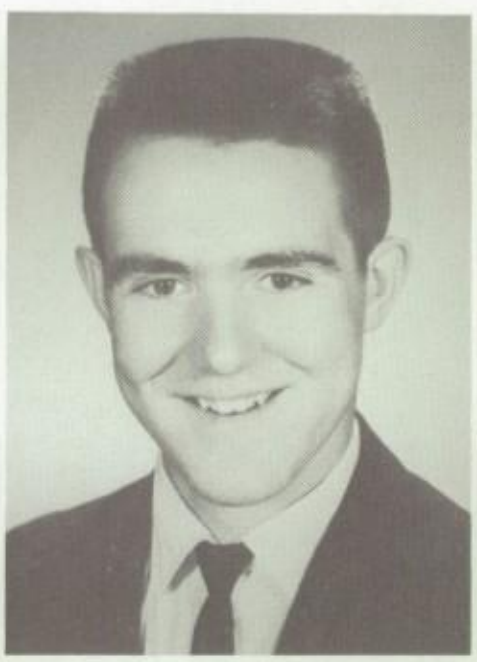
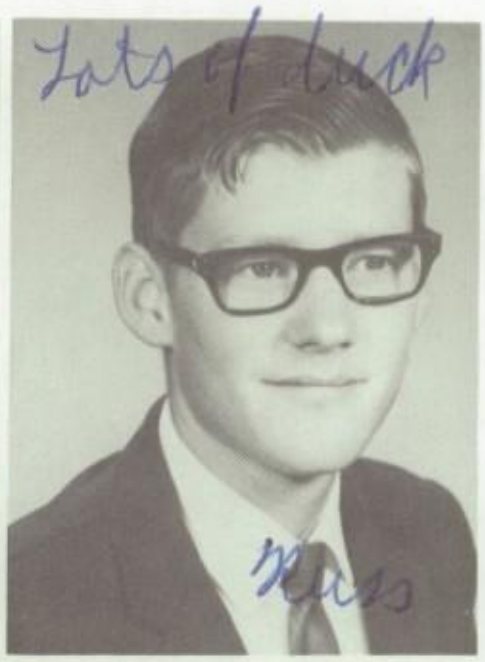




Jeanne Wiltbank
S.B. Secretary

Bonnie Bounds
S.B. Treasurer

Marta Jirsa
Sophomore President

Billy Greenwood
Freshman President

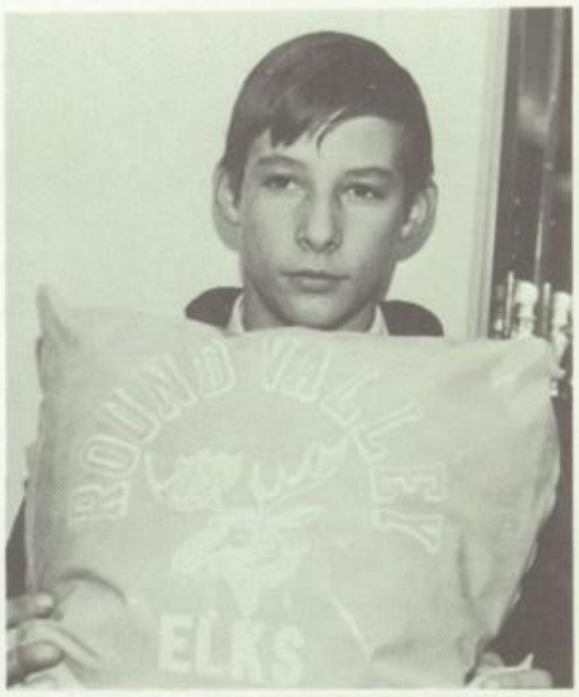
Mr. Jay Coombs
Student Council Advisor

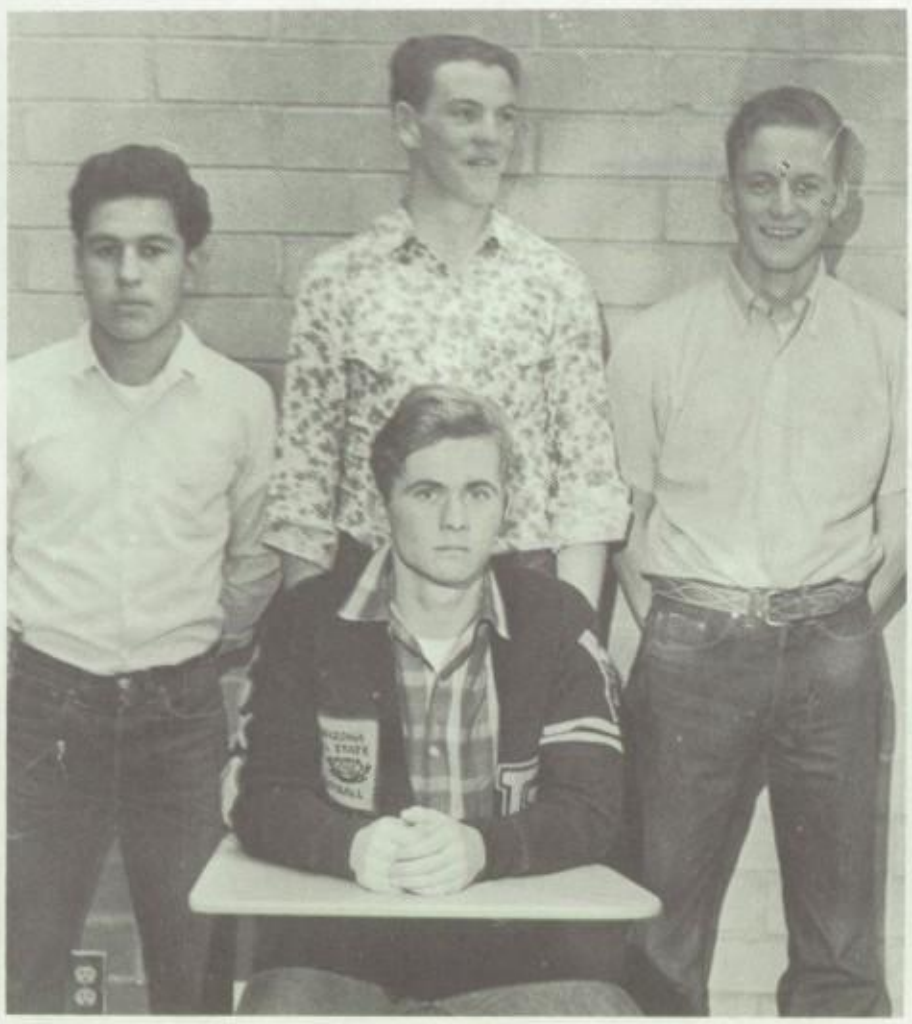
Lettermen's Club Sells Pillows, Pop to Raise Funds for Sports Banquet

The Lettermen's Club is made up of boys earning a letter in one of the sports at Round Valley High. To become a member, a boy must go through initiation. The club is led by:

Bobby Peters . . . . . President
Rodney Penrod . . . . . Vice-President
Ron Johnson . . . Secretary-Treasurer
Johnny Chavez . . . . Sergeant at Arms
Advisors . . . . . Coach Marlin LeSueur
Coach Diz Reeves

Members of the club are Dennis Wilkins, Ron Johnson, Charles Wiltbank, Kayle Haws, Bobby Peters, Larry Whitmer, Rodney Penrod, Eldon Pond, Dale Hall, Bill Coleman, Jack Judd, Alan Slade, Travis Lytle, Arnold Moya, Johnny Chavez, Jack Johnson, Carl Whiting, Brad Anderson, Fred Lomeli, Rick Savedra, Frank Haws, Arturo Retana, Danny Brown and Joe Tsosie. Pillows, pop, and pens were sold.





F.H.A. Sponsors Twirp Week, Sadie

Members of Future Homemakers of America had many projects to earn funds for chapter activities. Individual members of the club worked on degrees to better themselves, their school and their community. A progressive dinner was held as the chapter's national project. Twirp Week was held in the fall with a taco fry and the Sadie Hawkins Dance. The Sweetheart's Ball was held in March and was a fitting climax to the year's activities.

Members of the R.V. Chapter are: Roxanna Welch, Bonnie McCall, Zola Merrill, Linda Judd, Peggy Slade, Kathleen Cosby, De Rae Nelson, Gayla DeWitt, Sherry Rogers, Patti Brady, Kaylma Gillespie, Jan Wright, Debra Hall, Debbie Gastineau, Stacey Branson, Vera Rae Eagar, Diana Wise, Donna Lee, Lynn Hill, Devonna Hall, Barbara Calloway, Tana Ashcroft, Janice Waelbroeck, Kristi Gillespie, Elaine Wilkins, Donna LeSueur, Marsha Copeland, Rickie Julander.

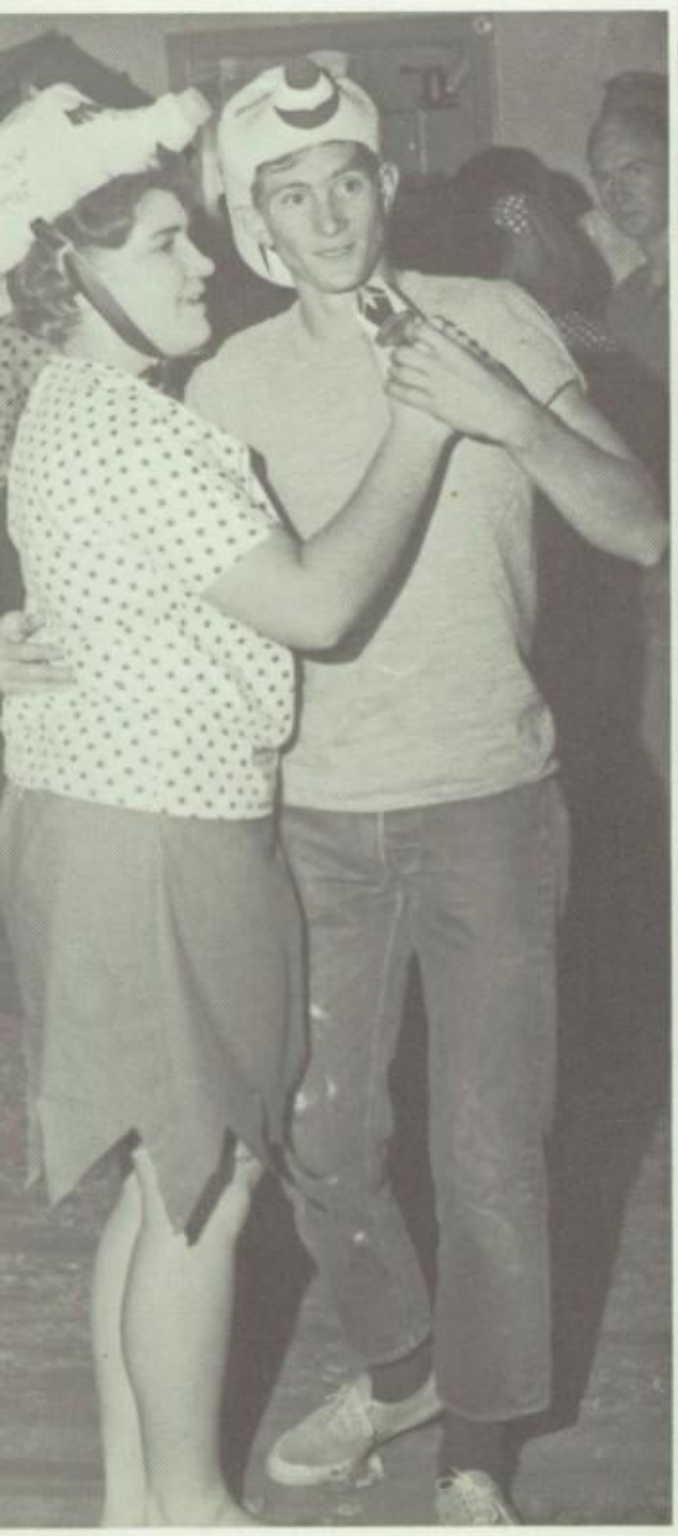
OFFICERS OF THE ROUND VALLEY CHAPTER OF FUTURE HOMEMAKERS ARE

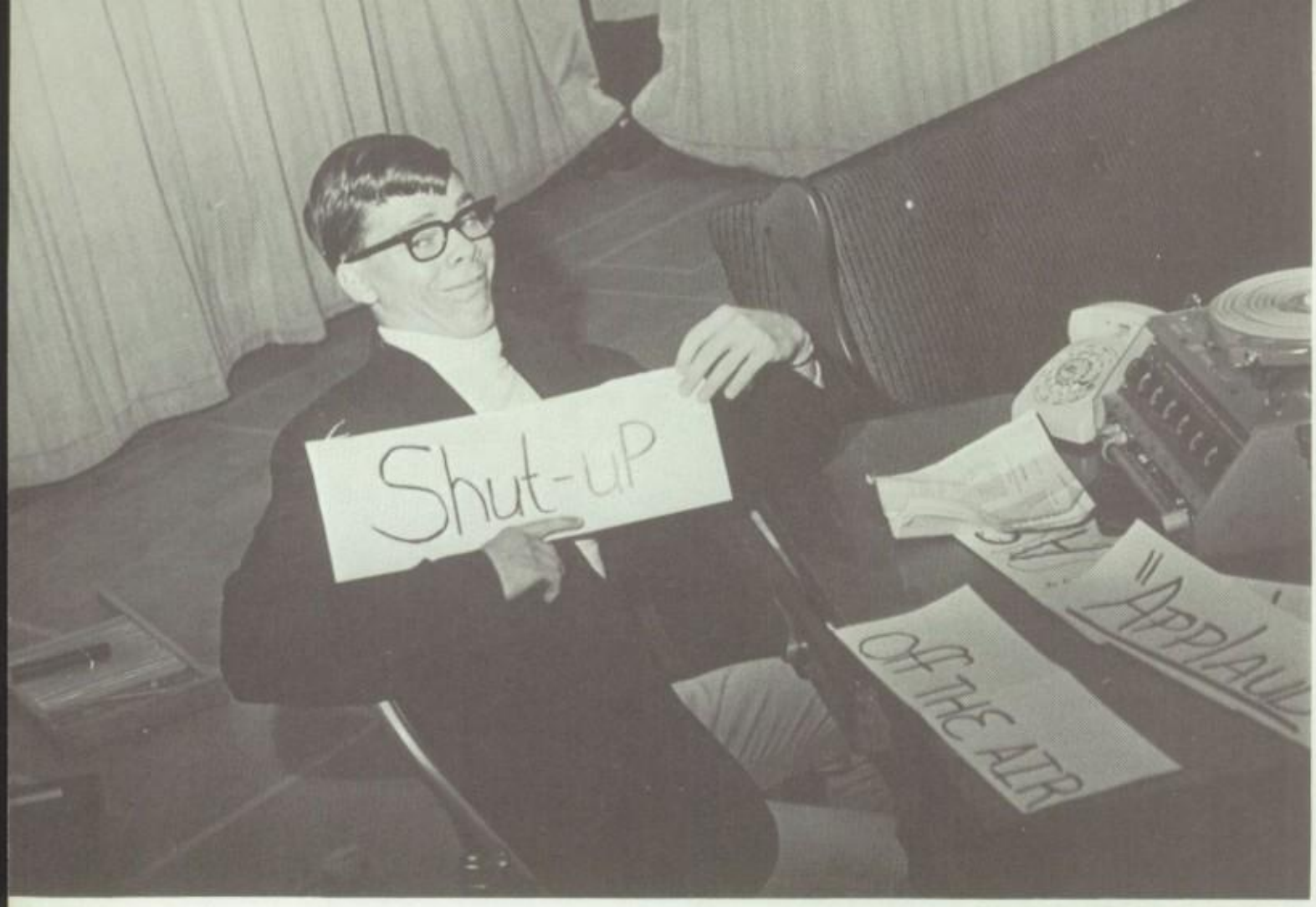
President ..... Patsy Eagar
President Elect ..... Jeanne Wiltbank
Vice-President ..... Jolene LeSueur
Secretary ..... Madeline Hall
Chairman of Degrees ..... Tonna Sherwood
Historian ..... Charlotte Wilkins
Treasurer ..... Chelisa Hall
Not pictured below are Jeanne Wiltbank, Jolene LeSueur

Mrs. Dude Coombs
Chapter Advisor

Hawkins Dance

F.H.A.'s "Sadie Hawkins" Dance was held on October 20 and featured fall decorations. Refreshments were served from a wheelbarrow and an "outhouse" with a sign saying "Don't Take a Peek" made everyone very curious. The floor was covered with leaves and girls came in Daisy Mae outfits while the boys resembled Li'l Abner. "The Westeraires" furnished the music for the dance. Bill Coleman was crowned "Li'l Abner" and Zola Merril received the honor of being crowned "Daisy Mae" as a climax to the evening.





Drama Students presented a skit complete with commercials to the student body in December. Brad Anderson was the announcer on "The Whole Fam Damily Show" which featured "Tough Leaf Tea" commercials. Linda Harris acted as a doctor's receptionist in a skit called "The Mills That Grind". David Gillespie was a partner to Jim Flagg who had been wounded in an accident. Debbie Anway played the part of a woman patient. In the end of the play it turns out that the doctor is the one who was killed by the gangster portrayed by Jim Flagg. "Justice prevailed!"

Others taking part in the "Whole Fam Damily" skit were Glenda Pettijohn, Laura Harlan, Richard Strickland, Frank Haws, Weldon Brannan and Betty Nelson.

Drama Students Present Plays, Skits, Participate in Parade

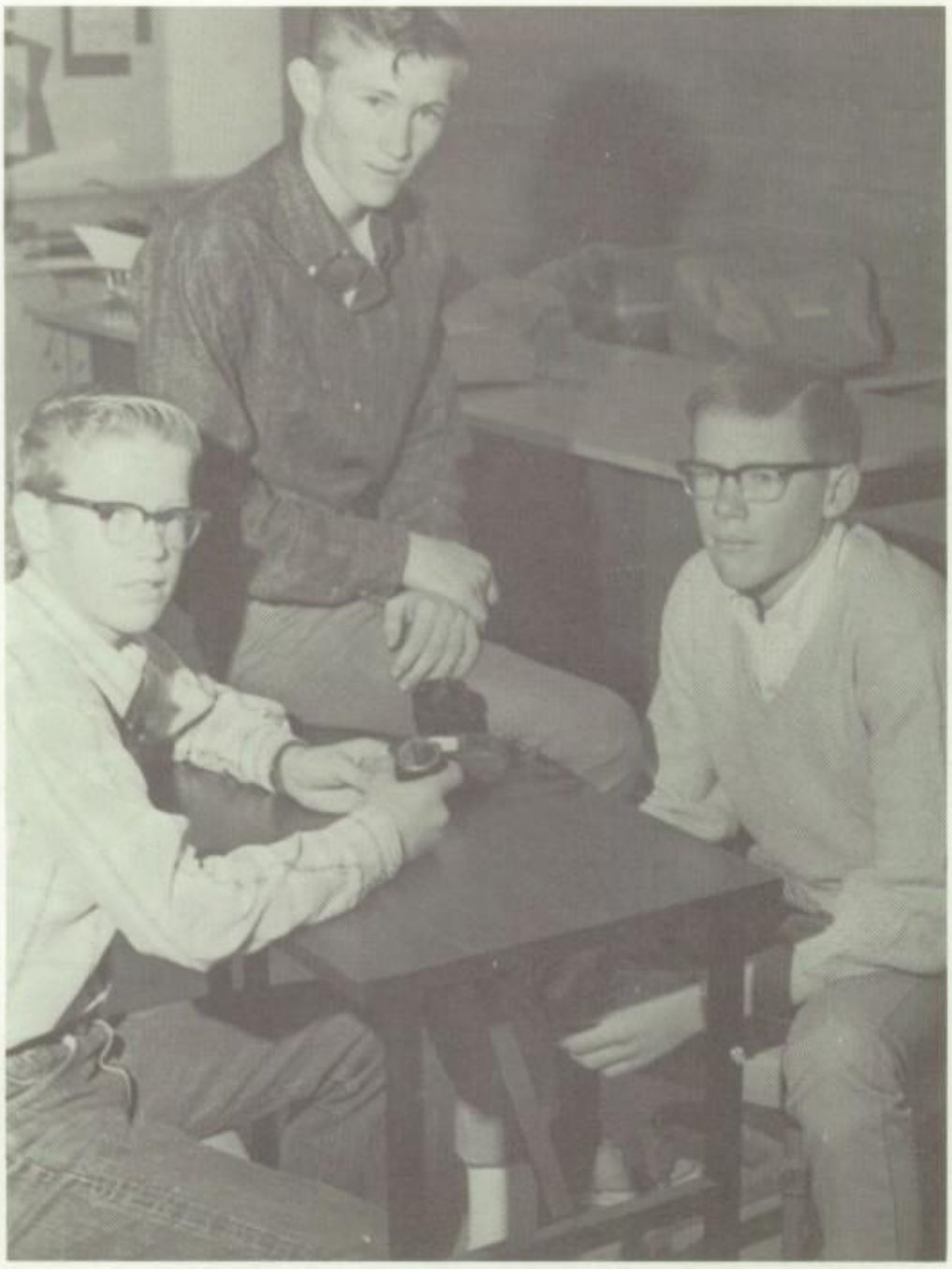
In the "Tough Leaf Tea" commerical Laura Harlan and Brad Anderson do a little dance. They were assisted by Betty Nelson and Wayne Wiltbank in a later segment of the commercial.

Betty Nelson and Carl Whiting played a hillbilly mother and father in a three-act play entitled "Mountain Gal" presented in January. Stacey Branson played their daughter "Catalpa".

Sharyl Hooper portrayed a foster daughter named "Dede" in Mountain Gal. Rodney Penrod and Susan Brannan were a city couple named Gordon who had lost a child many years earlier.

Others appearing in "Mountain Gal" were Brad Anderson as "Oby" and Leumas Summers as "Sophie". Jim Flagg was the lawyer "McKay".

Drama students carried a sign and had a student on the Boosters' float as their part in the homecoming parade.



Shutters Click As Photographers Film Events of Year

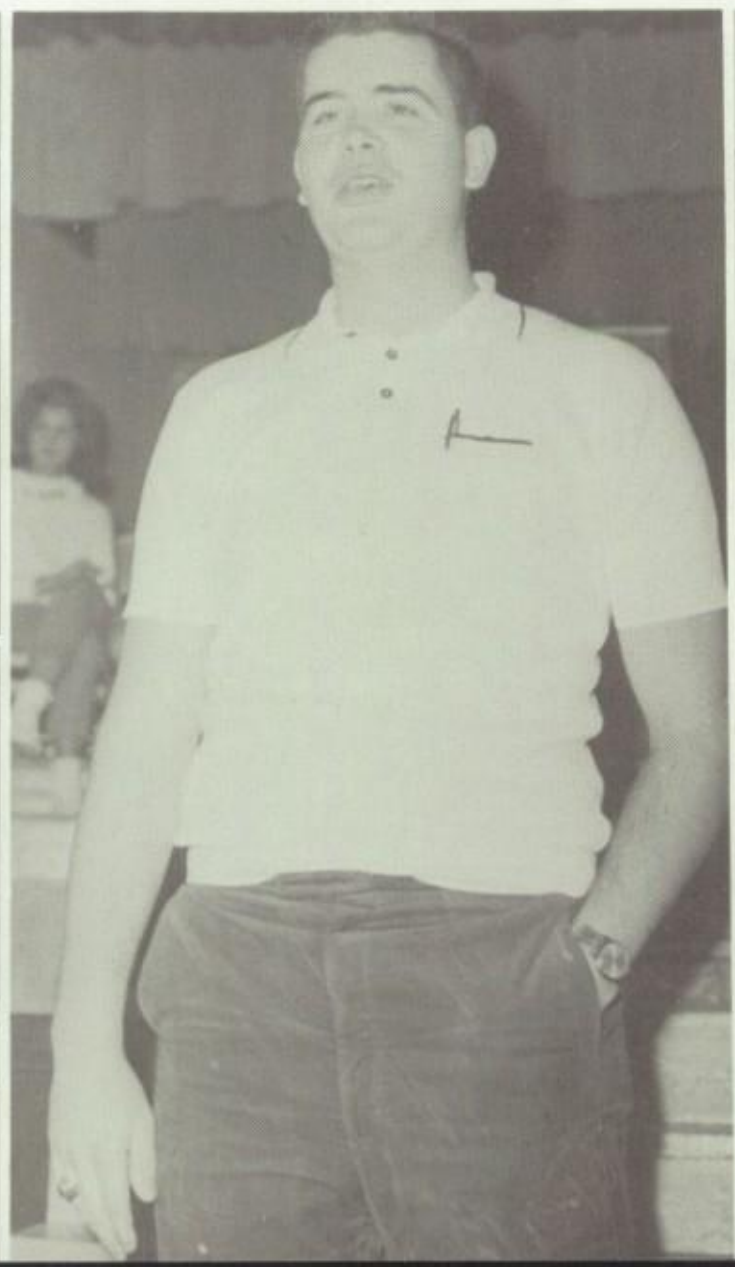
Jimmy Finch and Todd Bosen confer with Head Photographer Bill Coleman about one of the cameras. The three boys took most of the pictures in this yearbook and those appearing in the school newspaper. The boys also photographed scenes, teams and events for local newspapers and for an Arizona high school football annual which will be published this summer. All the developing and printing were done in the school's darkroom. Steve Hooper assisted the trio during first semester.

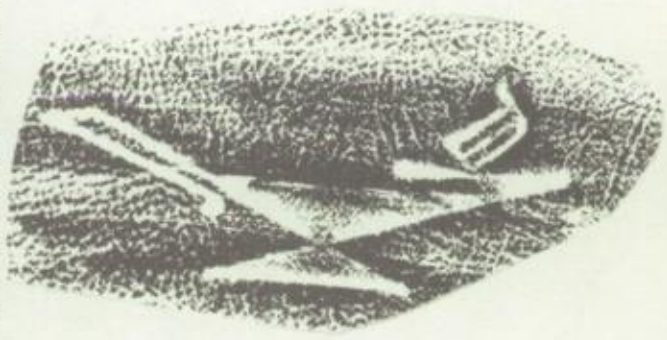
Mr. Rance Smith introduced speakers in one of the assemblies. They reported on meetings they had attended: Jeanne Wiltbank and Bonnie Bounds represented the school at the student council convention at Mesa Westwood High while Gracie Becker, Owen Nelson, David Gillespie and Sharyl Hooper represented the school at the Model United Nations Assembly held at the University of Arizona, Tucson.

Jeanne Wiltbank
Bonnie Bounds

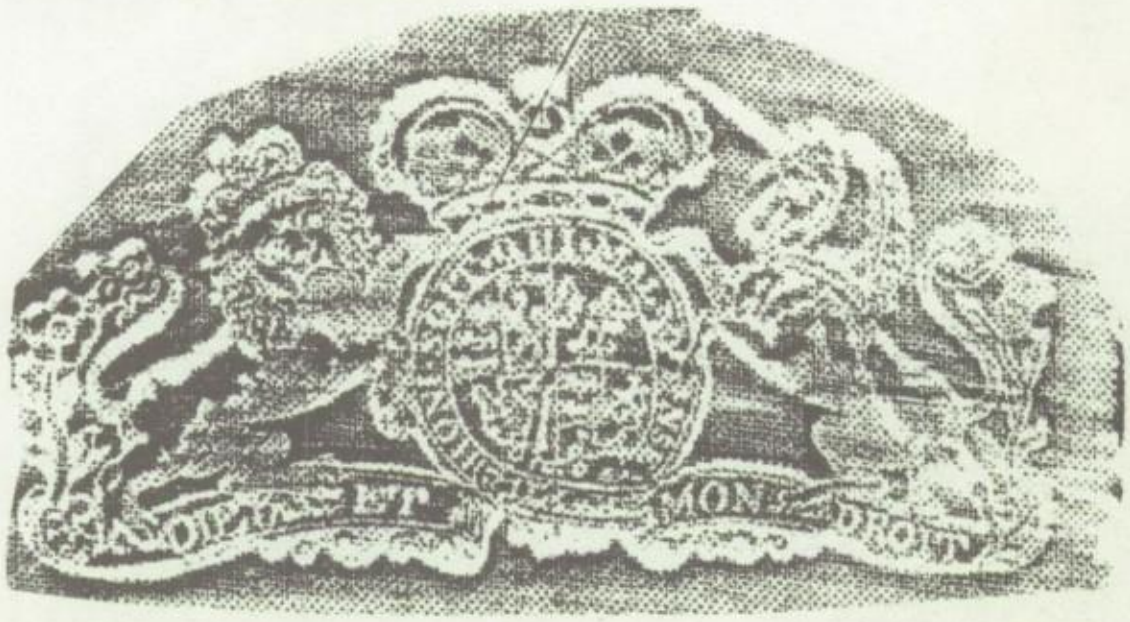
Principal
Rance Smith

Gracie Becker
Owen Nelson





"Time present and time past
Are both perhaps in time future,
And time future contained in time past."
–T. S. Eliot–



HONORS

Quill and Scroll

International Honorary Society for High School Journalists

Members of Quill and Scroll met at the high school on December 11 for their annual school spirit project of decorating the halls for Christmas. It was also President Bill Coleman's birthday and this was celebrated with birthday cake and hot chocolate. The halls were then decorated with red and green crepe paper and mistletoe.

Other officers are:
Vice-president . . . . . Floran Becker
Secretary-Treasurer. . . . . Chris Wise
Advisor . . . . . Mrs. Jo An Blair
Members are: Zola Merrill, Sharyl Hooper, Jacaualyn Thompson, Brenda Lund, Tana Ashcroft, Tonna Sherwood, David Gillespie and Alice Burk.

National Honor Society members are: Ken Harper, Owen Nelson, Russell Crosby, Bill Coleman, Charlotte Wilkins, Brenda Lund, Zola Merrill, Jacqualyn Thompson, Alice Burk, Hariella Haws, Tonna Sherwood, Janice Waelbroeck and officers Tana Ashcroft, Floran Becker and Sharyl Hooper.

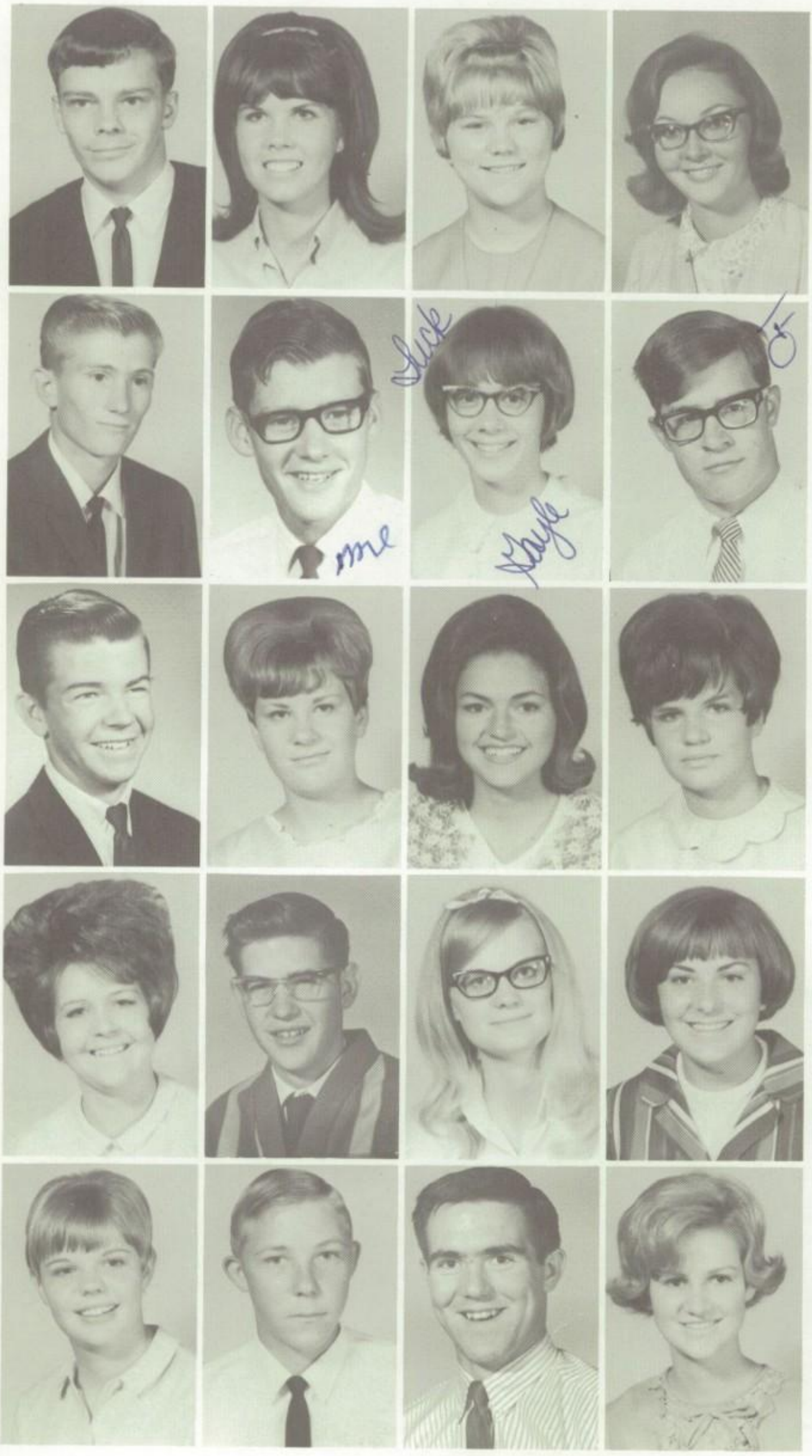
N.H.S. Plans Dinner for Brains

Mr. Grant Brown, National Honor Society Advisor

Officers of the society are:
Floran Becker . . .Vice-President
Tana Ashcroft . . . . . President
Sharyl Hooper . . . . . Secretary-Treasurer

A banquet is planned for students making the A and B Honor Rolls at the end of the school year. Members of National Honor Society must have a grade average of two or better and have demonstrated qualities of character and leadership along with scholarship.

Elks Earn Honors in Academics



Brad Anderson, Superior on festival solo

Tana Ashcroft, Valedictorian, Outstanding English Award

Floran Becker, Journalism Award

Alice Burk, D.A.R. Award, Outstanding Social Studies Award

Bill Coleman, Bausch and Lomb Science Award

Russell Crosby, Superior on festival solo, Outstanding Spanish award, Outstanding Chemistry Student Award.

Gayle DeWitt, Superior on festival Quartet

Jim Flagg, Superior on festival solo

Brent Hall, Superior on festival solo

Madeline Hall, Superior on festival quartet

Sharyl Hooper, Superior on festival solo, Outstanding Teenager Award

Brenda Lund, Girls State Alternate

De Rae Nelson, Superior on festival quartet

Owen Nelson, Outstanding Chemistry Student Award, Boys State Delegate

Tonna Sherwood, Salutatorian, Outstanding Home Economics Award

Jacqualyn Thompson, Girls State Delegate

Charlotte Wilkins, Superior on festival solo

Barry Williams, Outstanding Math Award

Charles Wiltbank, Outstanding Teenager Award, Boys State Alternate

Jeanne Wiltbank, Girls State Delegate

Athletics

Danny Brown, Outstanding Wrestler

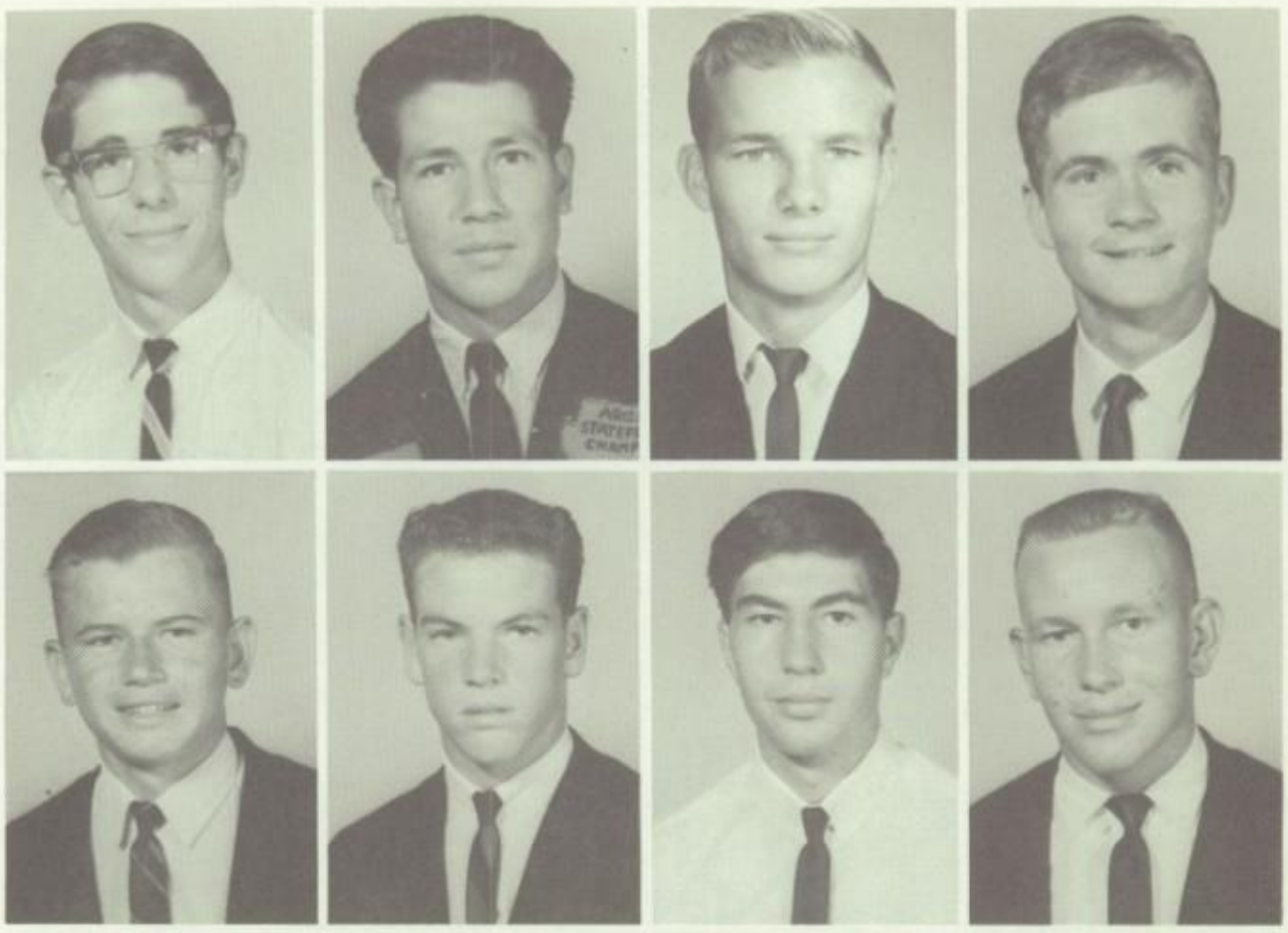
Ronnie Carrillo, 1st Team B East FB, 1st Team All-State FB, Co-Captain All-State, Tri-Captain Elk Football Team, Outstanding Offensive Player Elk FB Team, 1st Team B East BB.

Clay Hall, 1st Team B East FB, 1st Team All-State FB, Outstanding Defensive Player Elk FB Team, Hon. Mention B East BB.

Ron Johnson, 2nd Team B East FB, Hon. Mention All-State FB.

Travis Lytle, 2nd Team B East FB, Hon. Mention All-State FB.

Bobby Peters, Captain of Elk Basketball Team, 2nd Team B East BB.



Eldon Pond, Most Inspirational Player, Elk Basketball Team.

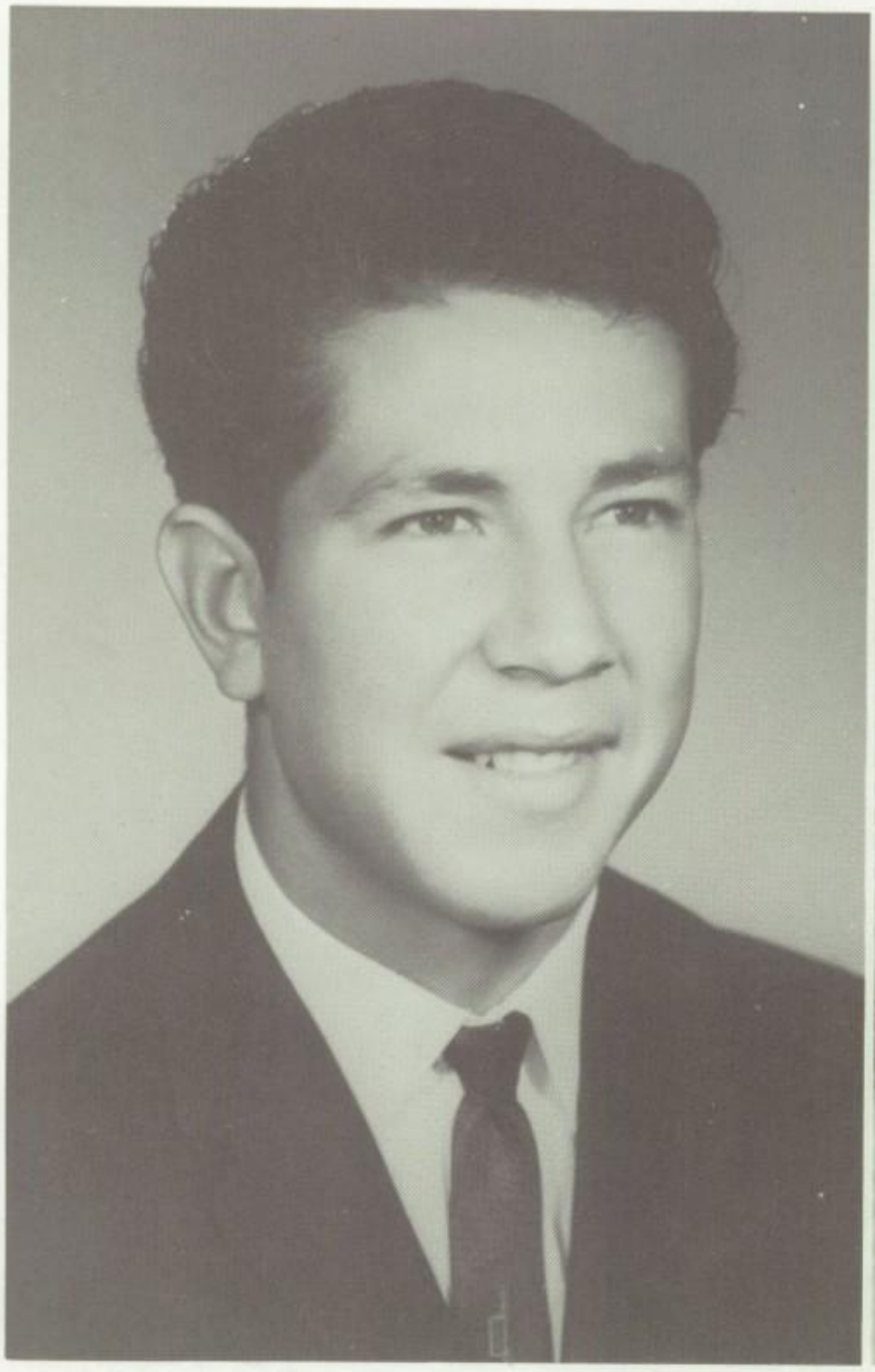
Larry Whitmer, Hon. Mention B East FB

Charles Wiltbank, 1st Team B East FB, 2nd Team All-State FB, Outstanding Player Elk Basketball Team, 1st Team B East BB, 1st Team All-State BB.

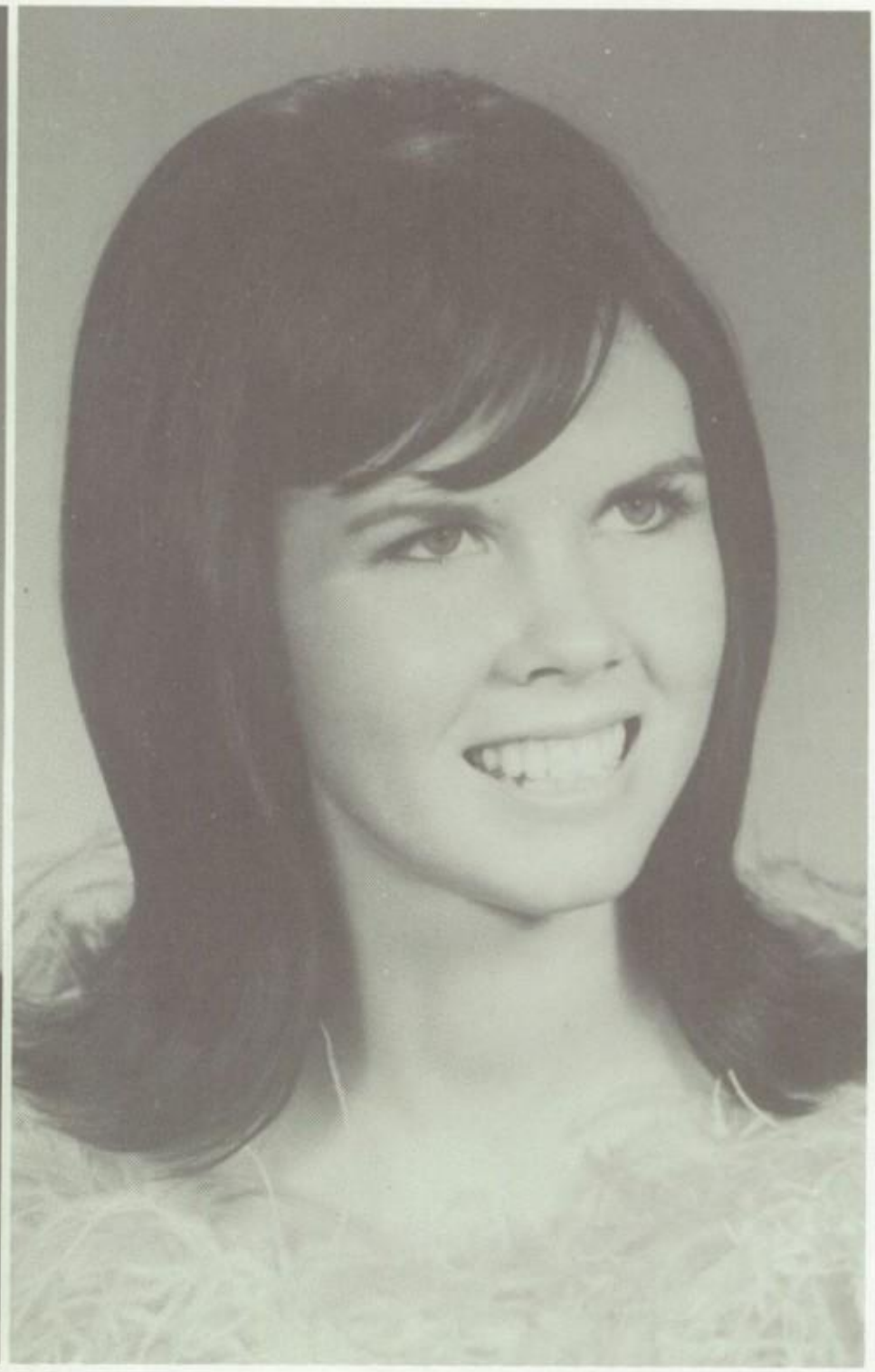
Jerry Wiltbank, Outstanding Player, Elk Junior Varsity Basketball Team.

Making the A Honor Roll with perfect grades for the first semester were: Seniors–Tana Ashcroft, Alice Burk, Sharyl Hooper. Juniors –Russell Crosby, Owen Nelson, Jacqualyn Thompson. No Sophomores or Freshmen were named to the list.

Elk Football Stars were: Clay Hall, Ron Carrillo, Ron Johnson, Travis Lytle, Charles Wiltbank and (not pictured) Larry Whitmer.



KING RONALD ANTHONY CARRILLO



QUEEN TANA FAY ASHCROFT

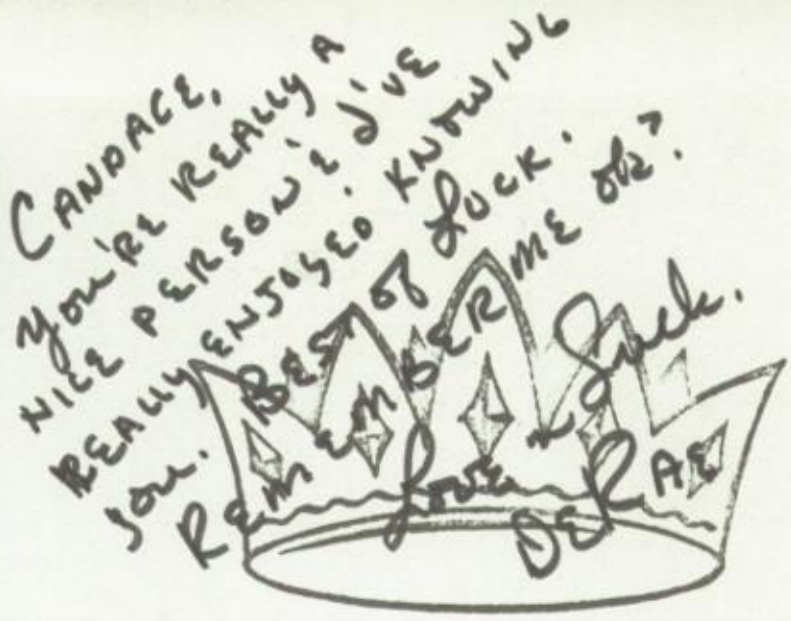
Homecoming Royalty

Prince Larry Whitmer

Princess Gloria Queen

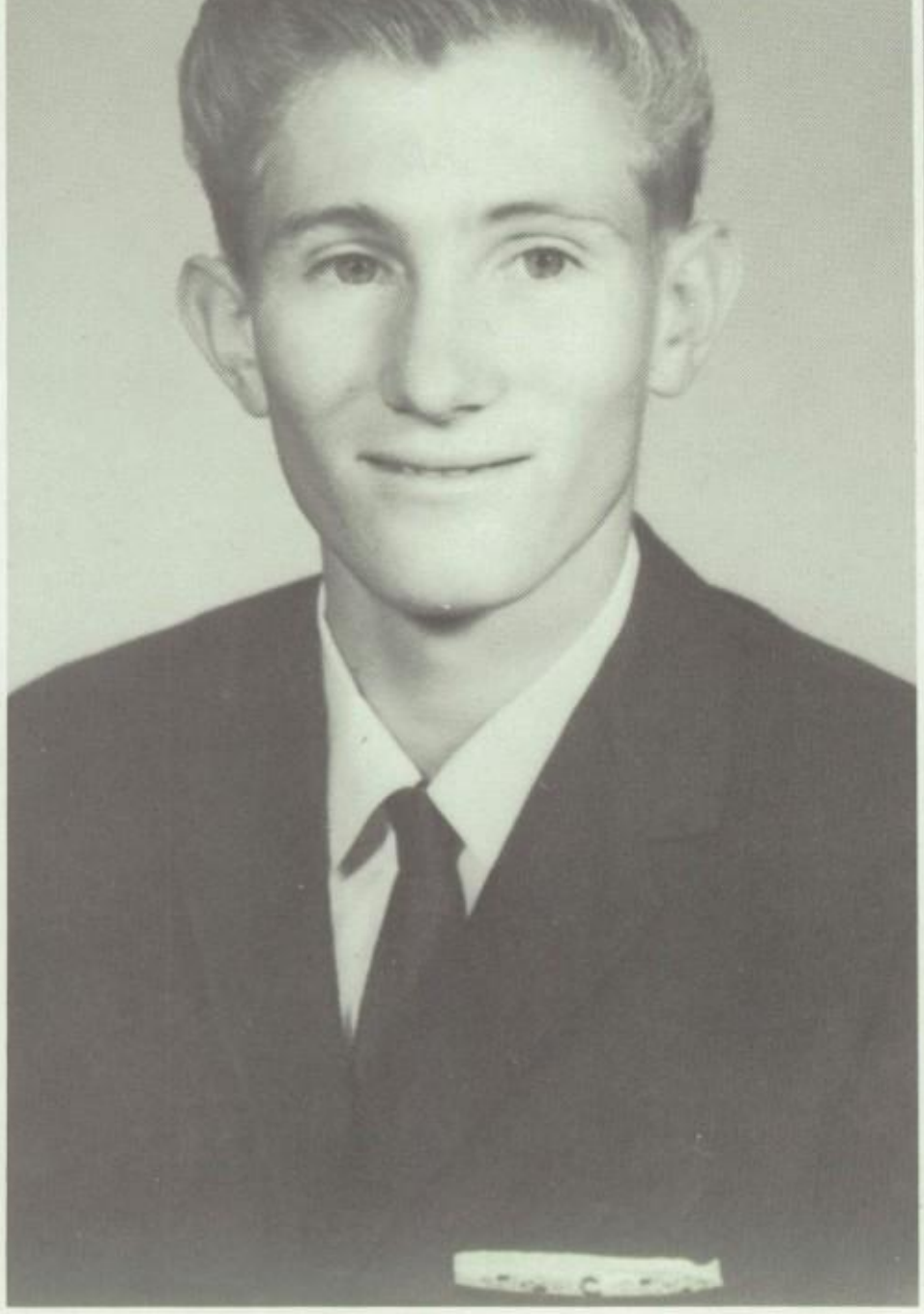
Mr. R.V.H.S. Clay Hall

Miss R.V.H.S. De Rae Nelson

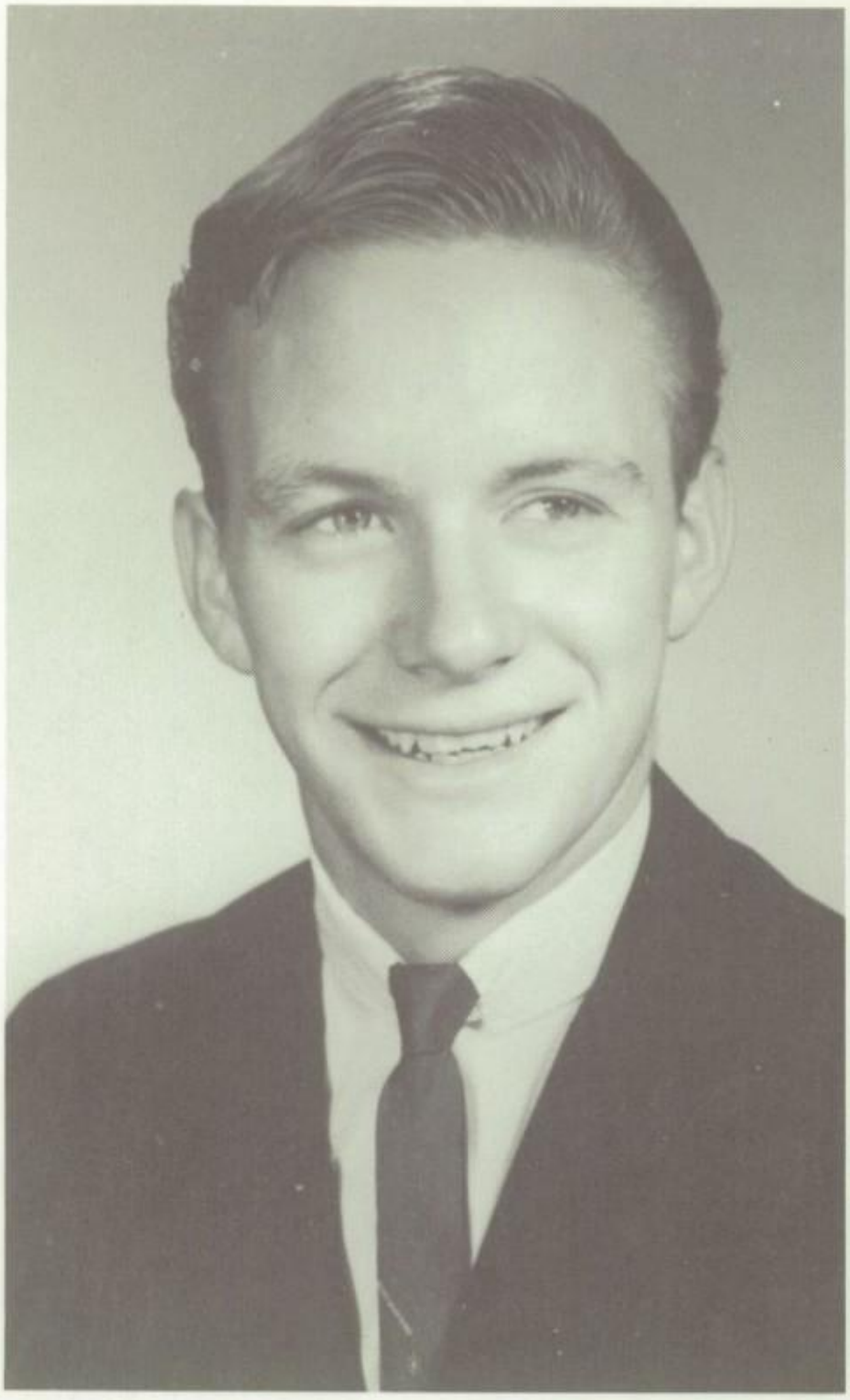


Yearbook Royalty

MR. ELK BILL A. COLEMAN



MISS ELK FLORAN JEANINE BECKER



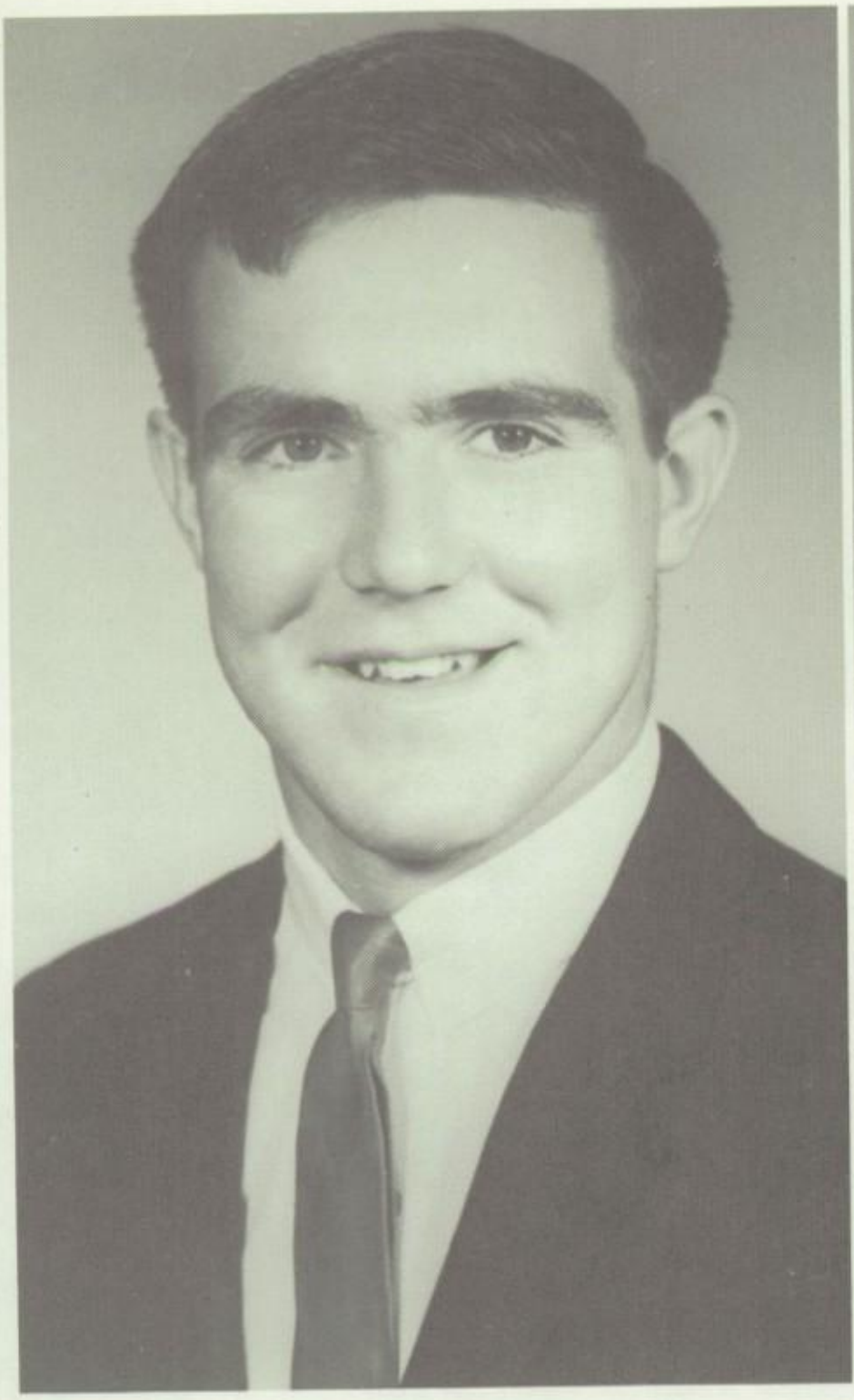
KING DENNIS RODNEY PENROD

QUEEN TONNA LARRE SHERWOOD

Sweethearts Ball Royalty

Prince Jack Johnson

Princess Janice Waelbroeck



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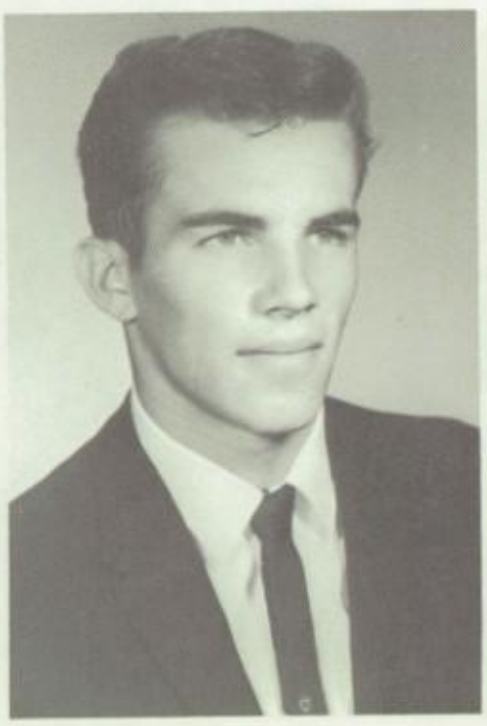
Junior Prom Royalty

Prince Alan Slade



Princess Kaylma Gillespie

Candace,
I think you're really a cute girl and have enjoyed your friendship this year. Maybe we'll get together next year! Be good & have a nice summer!
Love ya,
Kaylma

Tana and Tonna Win Top Honors

"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew, that one small head should carry all it knew."
–Goldsmith, THE DESERTED VILLAGE–

"We judge ourselves by what we feel capable of doing, while others judge us by what we have already done."
–Longfellow–

TANA FAY ASHCROFT . . . Valedictorian . . . Has been active in all phases of school life . . . Was a twirler as a freshman, a J.V. cheerleader as a sophomore and varsity cheerleader as a junior and senior . . . was class senator as a freshman and secretary-treasurer as a sophomore . . . active in club work and drama, was on newspaper staff for three years, the yearbook staff, F.H.A., Quill and Scroll (secretary-treasurer as a junior) and National Honor Society (president as a senior) . . . Sang in the choir and played in the band . . . Was delegate to Youthpower USA Conference and Girls State . . . Won ASU's Medallion of Merit Award as a junior as well as the U of A's alumni award for outstanding junior girl . . . was junior honor guard at commencement, a princess at the Junior Prom and was homecoming Queen in her senior year . . . Plans to attend ASU and major in business.

TONNA LARRÉ SHERWOOD . . . Salutatorian . . . Also very active in all phases of school life. . . Was a freshman cheerleader, J.V. cheerleader for two years and varsity cheerleader for one year . . . was a class senator as a freshman and a sophomore . . . active in club work, F.H.A. for four years (Chairman of Degrees in senior year), Quill and Scroll, National Honor Society (secretary in junior year) . . . Has sung in the Elk Choir and Madrigal choir and participated in district and state music festivals, winning superiors on solo at both district and state as a junior . . . Played in band and has been on newspaper staff . . . Was a delegate to Youthpower USA Conference and won Outstanding Home Economics student award as a junior . . . Was on prom committee as a junior . . . was Sweetheart's Ball Queen in senior year . . . Plans to attend ASU and major in music

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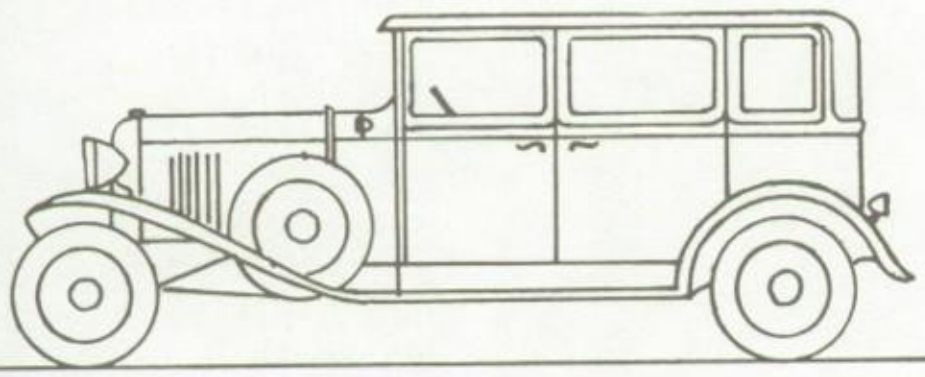

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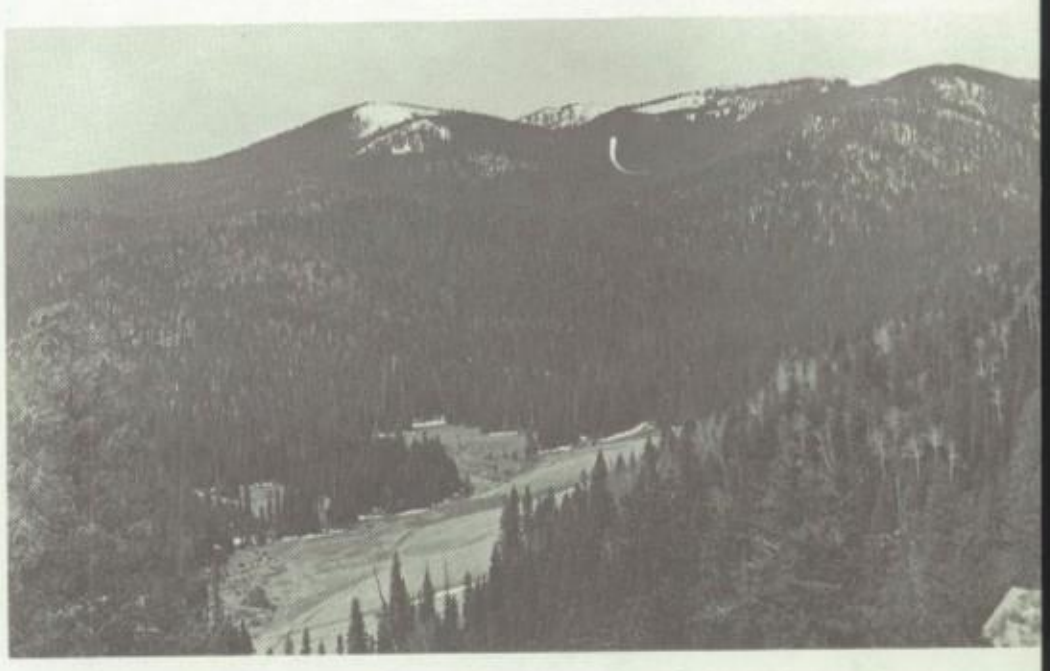

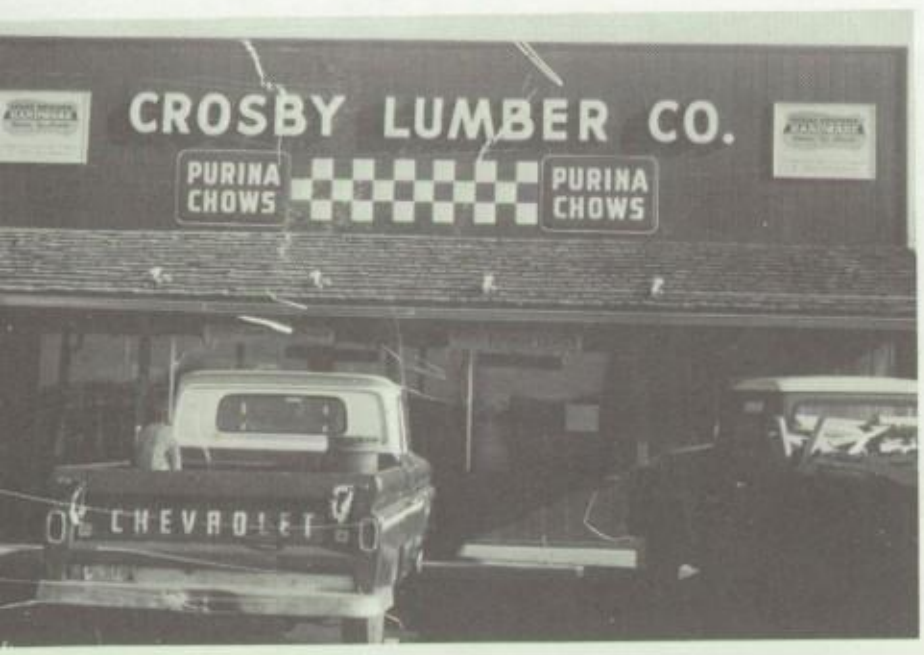

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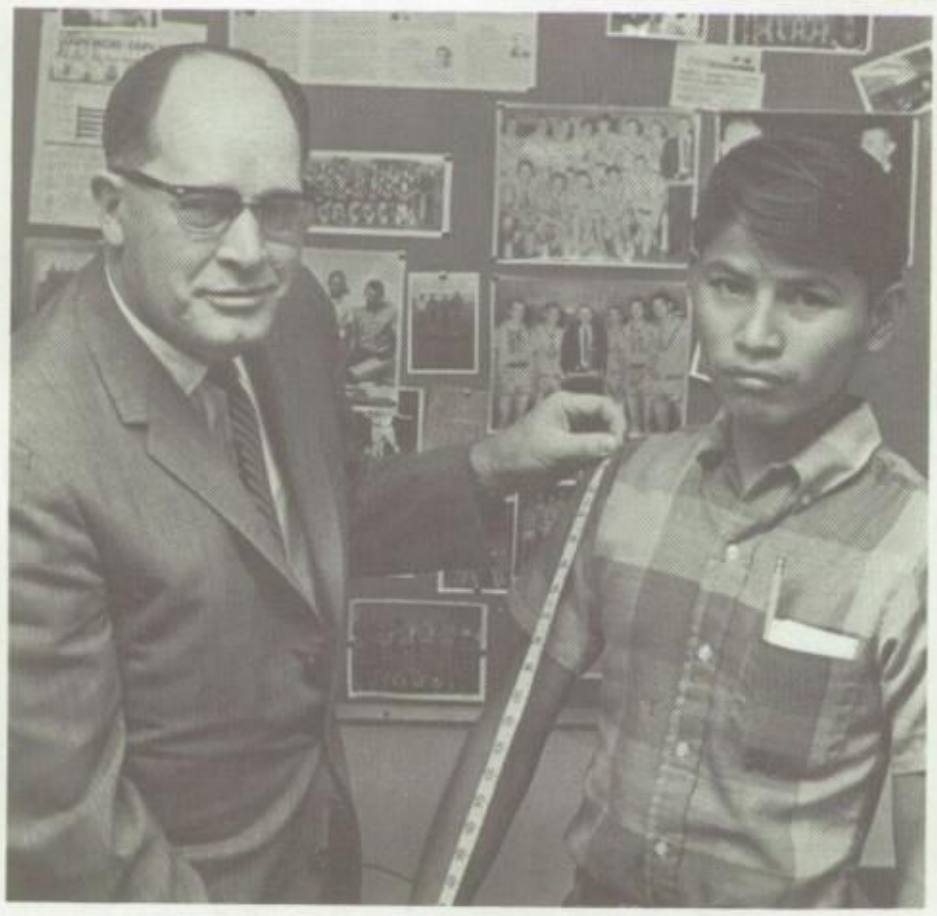

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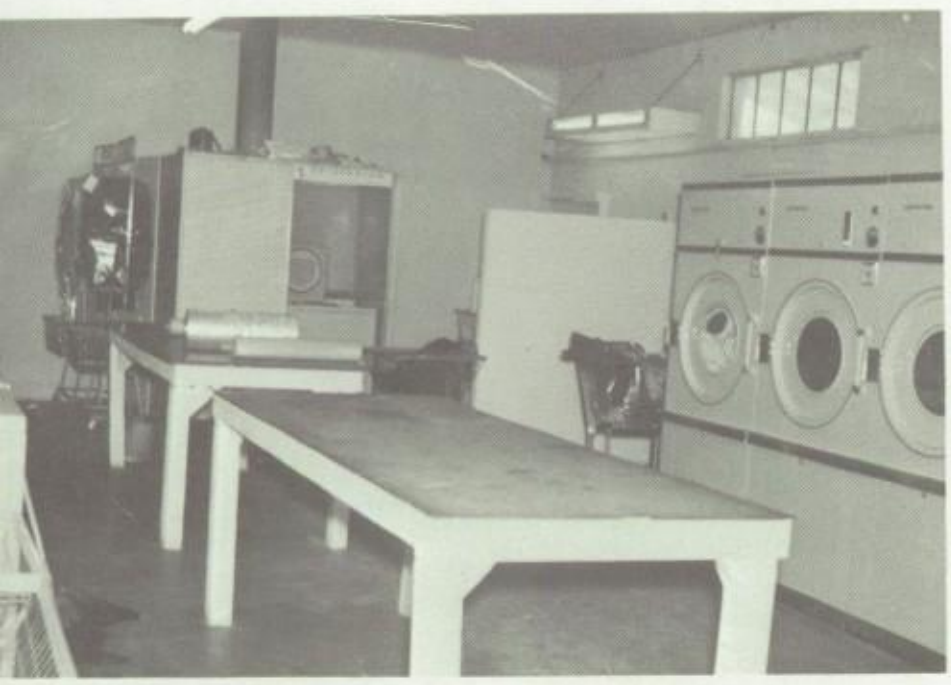

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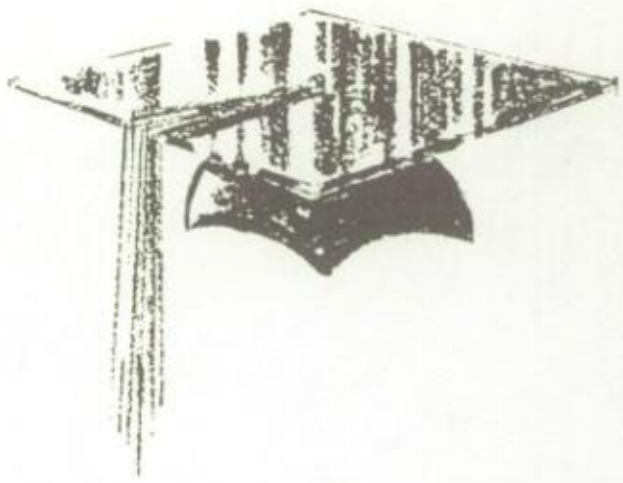

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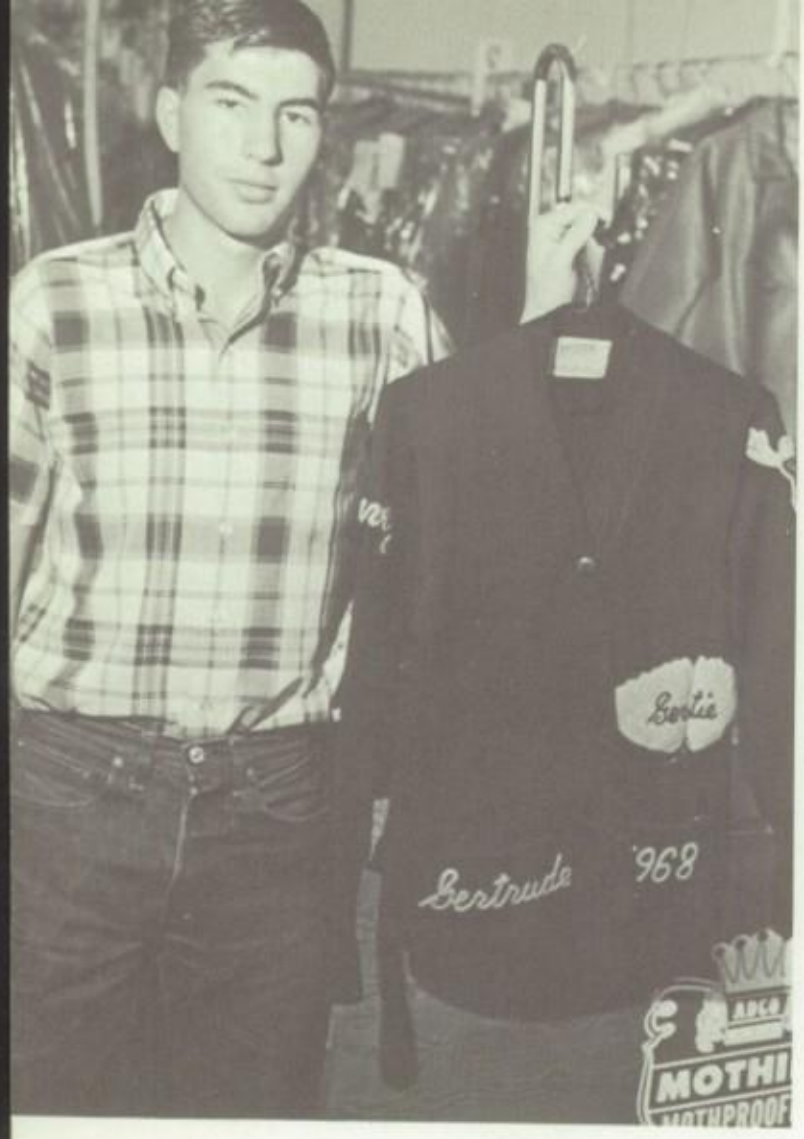

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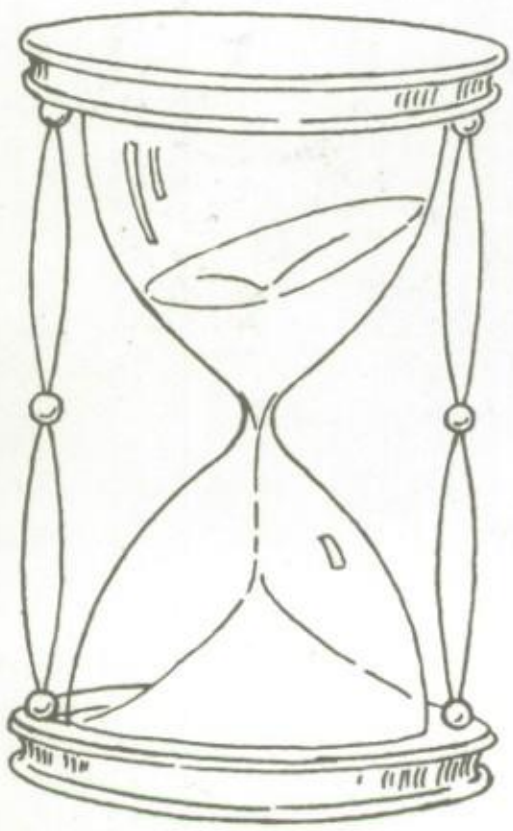

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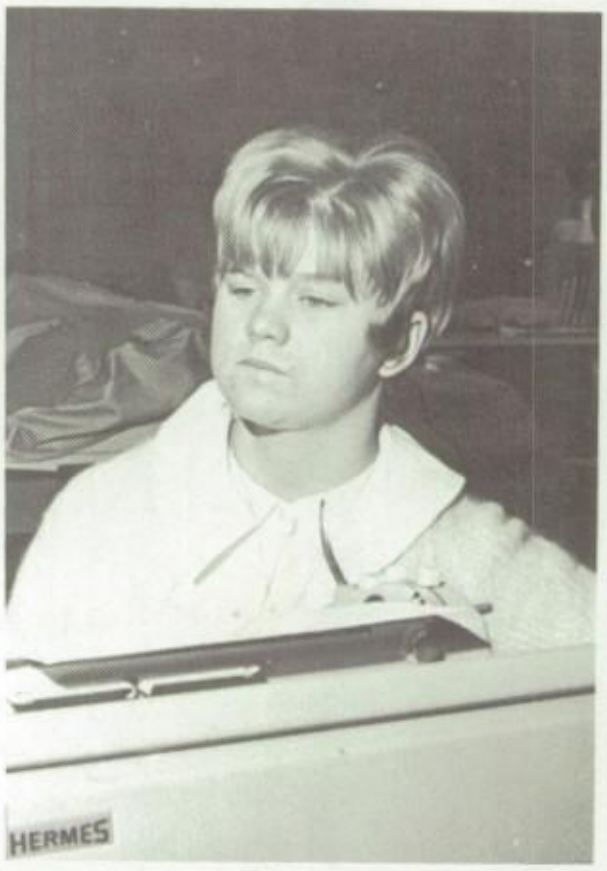


To a sweet kid I enjoyed going to school with

Candace,
To a Real Sweet Girl.
Good Luck
"Dee" Year
"69" Always
PAT Yaswuy
Bigelow

Candace,
To a really cute Girl.
Good Luck &
God Bless You.
Love Debbie

Candace,
To a real sweet girl. Lots of success to a good girl. I think you have a swell personality.
Russell C.

Candace,
To lyne friend that is always smiling. It hurt N luck in the Future.
always kind

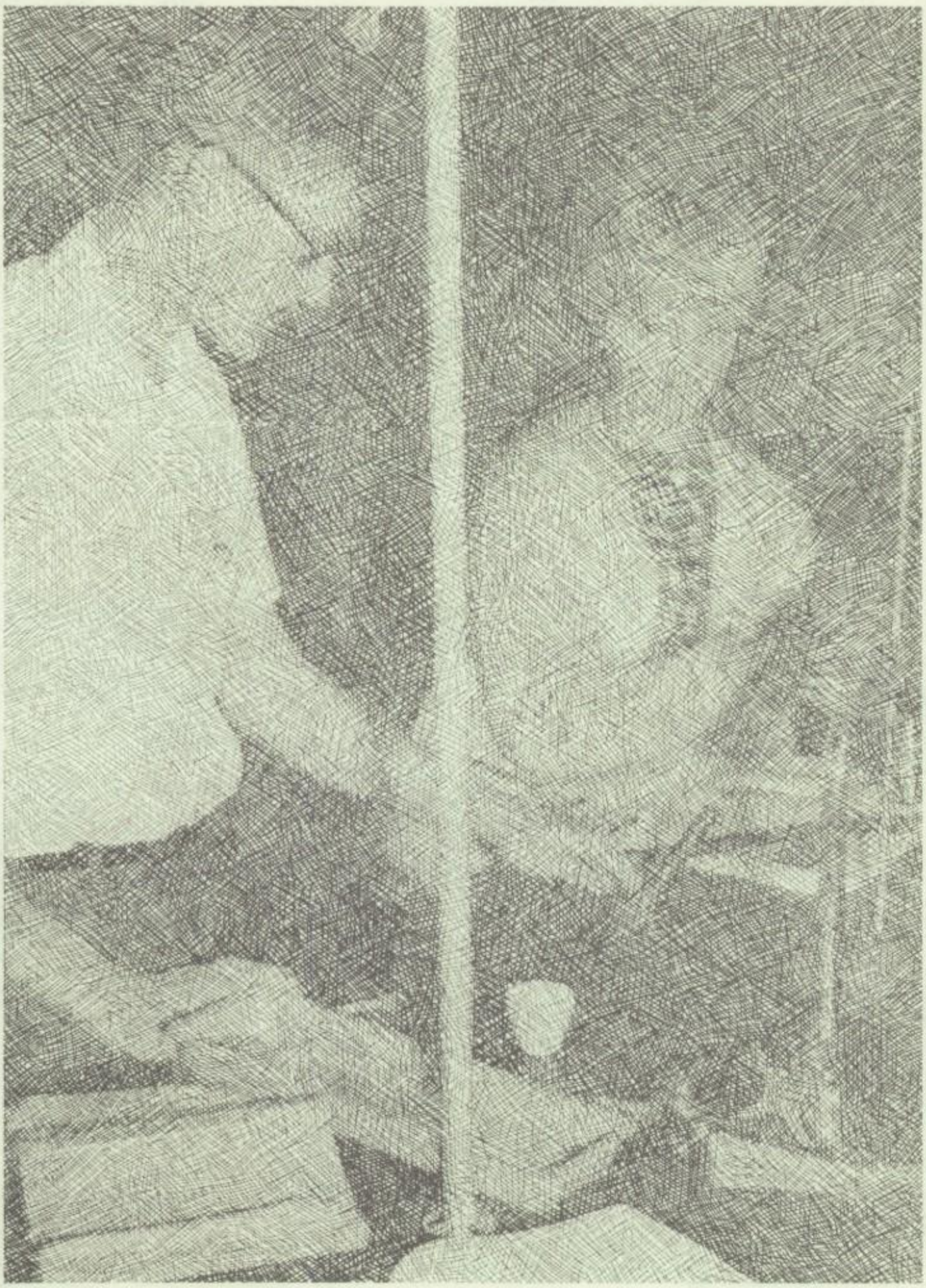
Candace,
You are a very sweet girl. Keep smiling. You have a nice future.
Yours Truly
Brenda

Candace,
You are one of the really nice people I know. Good luck in whatever you do.
Have fun in life.
Diana

Candace,
To a real sweet kid I have enjoyed knowing. Be good and keep smiling
Love
Roxie
'68

Candace,
To a real
neat junior chick.
May you be successful
always -Donald-

Condolences to you and your family



FAREWELL:
Four years is a long time
–too long to forget.
We look around and ask
–where did it go?
We worked, we played
–but for four years?
Then we look the other way
–into tomorrow.
Suddenly we're not so tall
as we thought we were
And not so smart.
But we find that somehow
We learned a decisive lesson at
Elkland: something we wouldn't
have had without the association
of our teachers, without guidance
and leadership.
–a direction into that uncertain
tomorrow. It can never be so dark
again. Though the world may change
and the times change
and we change.

SPRING SUPPLEMENT

RV TO THE 1968 ELK

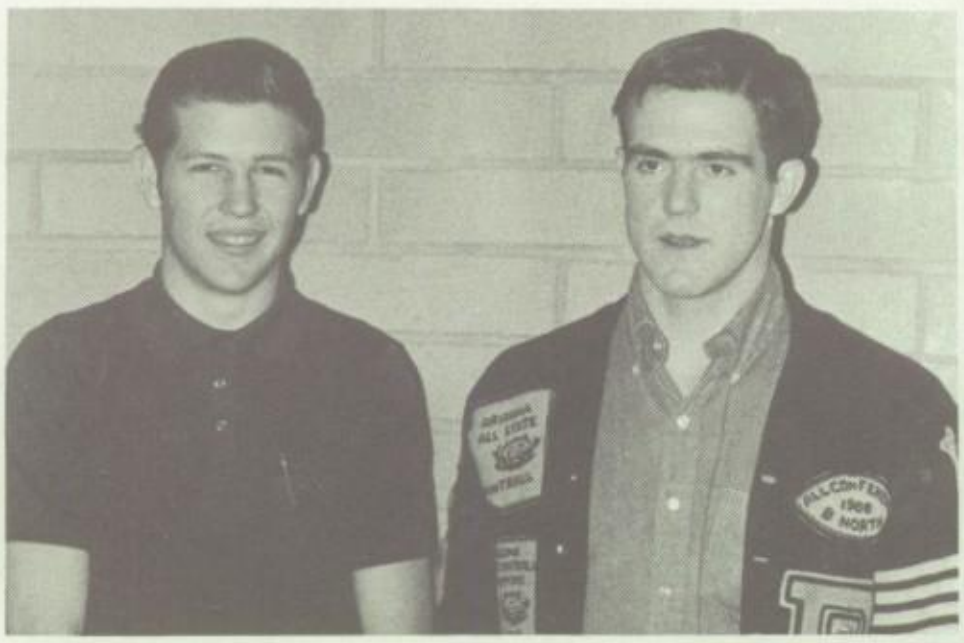
ROUND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL, SPRINGERVILLE, ARIZ.

Yearbook Signing, Career Night Fill

The 1968 Elk yearbook arrived on May 9 and is admired by Business Manager Patsy Eagar and Editor Floran Becker. A "Fiesta Time" yearbook banquet was followed by the yearbook signing dance. The EAJC Band and Choir came to Elkland for a concert on March 26. A number of Round Valley High alumni appeared with the group. Mrs. Atella Haws, a nurse at the White Mountain Communities Hospital, was the guest speaker at Career Night on March 7. The 25 senior girls were guests of the Springerville Business and Professional Women's Club for the career night banquet.

Concerts, Skits, Final Hours of Year

New students enrolled at Elkland during the Spring Semester: Kellie Clayton, Willie Hohn, Nancy Hale, Bob Clayton, Danny and Homer Rogers. Clifford Nelson was also a new student. Owen Nelson was chosen a delegate to boys state with Charles Wiltbank his alternate. Jeanne Wiltbank and Jacqualyn Thompson were chosen girls state delegates with Brenda Lund their alternate. The drama class put on several skits including "He's Having a Baby", "Noah" and another about baseball. 13 new letterman were initiated and had their heads shaved in the process.



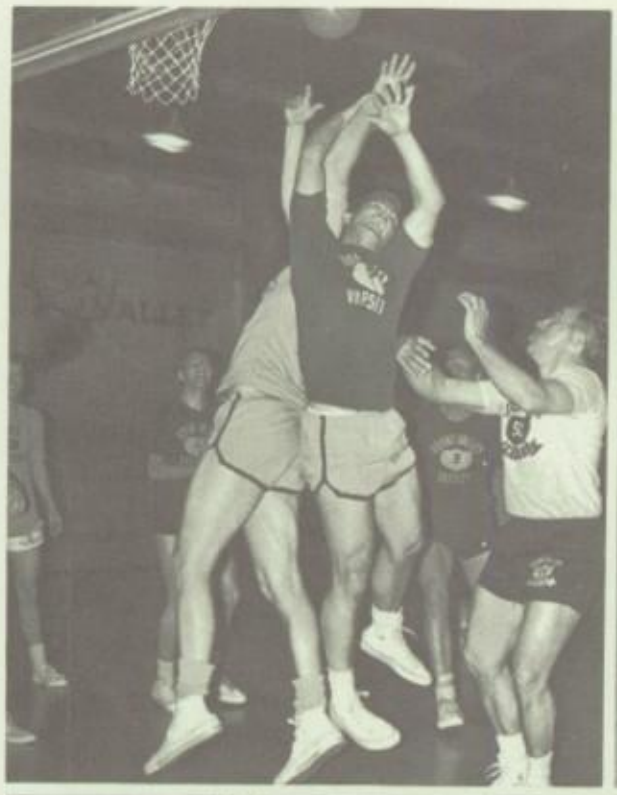
Senior Boys, Girls Win Intramurals

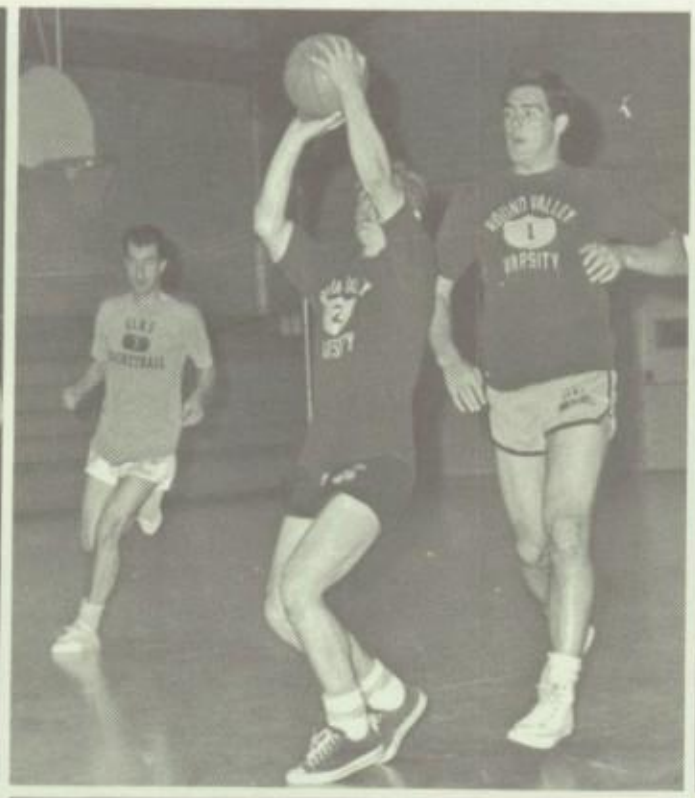
The Senior Boys and Girls won the yearbook staff's basketball intramurals on March 7 and 9. This was the 4th consecutive victory for the Senior girls. Roxanna Welch and Gracie Becker were best girl cheerleaders while Jim Brown and Pat Miles were the best boy cheerleaders.

All-tournament teams—Boys First Team: Seniors Hugh McCall, Bill Coleman, Doug Kellett; Juniors Denny Finch, J.J. Rodriguez. Second Team: Sophomores Sasso Antonio, Ramon Castillo, Craig Coombs, Conrad Rodriguez; Frosh Frank Baca. Girls First Team: Seniors Gloria Queen, Madeline Hall, Zola Merrill; Juniors Chris Wise, Lynda Hill, Chelisa Hall. Second Team: Sophs Jonni Youngbull, Linda Hearne, Tina Sherwood; Frosh Donna LeSueur, Elaine Wilkins, Leumas Summers.

Juniors Win Wrestling Intramurals, Lettermen Top Faculty in Basketball

The Lettermen defeated the Faculty men 66-62 in a basketball game played in March. Coach Rance Smith scored 32 points, Mr. Ellis Hamblin 11, Eldon Pond 17, Charles Wiltbank 16, Ron Johnson 15 in the high scoring game.





Bobby Peters crowned Janice Waelbroeck princess, Bonnie Bounds crowned Jack Johnson prince, Floran Becker crowned Rodney Penrod king and Keith Cole crowned Tonna Sherwood queen of the Sweetheart's Ball on March 8.

Sweethearts Ball Theme: "Love Is A Many Splendored Thing"

The Future Homemakers decorated the auditorium around a Japanese garden theme and their guests enjoyed dancing to the music of Marlen Rogers and the Versatiles.

Hariella Haws provided the banquet entertainment with the theme song from the movie "Gone With the Wind" as a piano solo.

Bonnie Bounds acted as mistress of ceremonies and introduced each of the speakers in turn. She is a member of the Junior Class and was on the prom committee.

Bill Coleman, president of the senior class, gave the response on behalf of his class and kept the crowd at ease with some of his "that reminds me" jokes.

Ron Johnson gave a complete history of the class of 1969 as his part of the program. Freshman initiation for this year's juniors was a highlight.

Juniors Entertain Seniors, Faculty at Banquet:

"Gone With The Wind"

Mr. C. L. "Buzz" Haws was the guest speaker and gave excellent advice to all in attendance on getting the most out of life.

Dale Hall presented a prophecy about the seniors in a new way: "Prophecy by a New Method or Your Nose Knows".

The 1968 Junior Prom was held in the Elkland Auditorium on April 26. The hall was decorated like a huge chapel, complete with pillars with a church on the stage. A star studded blue ceiling gave the impression of dancing under the stars. Music was provided by Marlen Rogers and The Versatiles. A special refreshment room, called the "Junior Room", was was decorated in blue. Eight girls from Eagar Elementary school, Pam Hall, Sylvia Butler, Jackie Bosen, De-Ann Haws, Patricia Hamblin, Pam Burk, Velda Allred and Laree Crosby, served punch and cookies to guests in the Junior Room as well as in the regular refreshment lounge.

Juniors Create a Chapel in the

The royalty for the Junior Prom was chosen in an all school election prior to the dance. King Charles Wiltbank, Queen Jeanne Wiltbank, Prince Alan Slade and Princess Kaylma Gillespie were crowned by last year's royalty: Gloria Queen, Ronnie Carrillo, Tana Ashcroft and Rodney Penrod. The queen and princess received beautiful tiaras as a momento of the occasion while the boys were also presented a gift from the class. Many students, their parents, the faculty and townspeople attended this special social event. Colored pictures of couples were taken in the library as a souvenir of the evening.

Moonlight for Their 1968 Prom

Owen Nelson was general prom chairman and was assisted by Eldon Pond, Bonnie Bounds, Chris Wise, Hariella Haws, Lynda Hill, Lynn Hill, Alan Slade and Jacqualyn Thompson. The Juniors and their dates were presented in a promenade prior to the crowning of the royalty. Pictured is Prom Chairman Owen Nelson and his date, Chris Wise.

Becky Silva read the class will at Honor Day while the fore-

cast for seniors in prophecy form was given by Sharyl Hooper

and a humorous class history was given by Gracie Becker.

The U of A Alumni Award was presented to top Juniors Jacqualyn Thompson and Owen Nelson by Mrs. Harper.

Numerous Awards Presented to Elks

Who's Who Awards went to top scholars Tonna Sherwood and Tana Ashcroft. Mr. Dunlap presents Danford Awards to Floran Becker and Larry Whitmer. Scholarships and opportunity grants were awarded by Mr. LeSueur to Seniors Riddle, Kellett, Burk, Becker, Tipton, Retana, Chavez, Coleman, Nelson, Sherwood, Hooper and Ashcroft. Perfect Attendance awards were presented by Mrs. I LeSueur to C. Wise, Harris, Miles, Tsosie, Rencher, Whitmer, C. Rodriguez, Thurman, Aragon, J. Brown, F. Haws, Hunt, Wilkins and E. Judd. Making the A Honor Roll for second semester were Seniors Ashcroft, Hooper and Sherwood; Juniors Crosby, Harper, O. Nelson and C. Wilkins and Sophomores K. Haws, Jirsa and Sherwood. Inducted into Quill and Scroll were D. Wise, Hearne, Waelbroeck, Jirsa andBosen.

Mr. Hamblin presents certificates for scholastic merit from Brigham Young University to Juniors Crosby, Thompson, J. Wiltbank, Haws, C. Wilkins, Lund and O. Nelson.

ASU Medallion of Merit was presented to Russell Crosby by Mrs. Blair.

Clay Hall was awarded the VFW Scholarship.

in Convocation on Honors Day, 1968

Named to membership in National Honor Society were Seniors: Gayle DeWitt and Becky Silva; Juniors: Johnny Chavez and Dee Miller; Sophomores: Todd Bosen, Danny Brown, Diane DeWitt, Devonna Hall, Laura Harlan, Kayle Haws, Linda Hearne, Marta Jirsa, Fred Lomeli, Lynnda Porter, Tina Sherwood and Jan Wright. The Ethel Becker Memorial Scholarship was presented by Mrs. Walden to Floran Becker and Bonnie Tipton was named outstanding business student by Mrs. Blair. New student body officers were installed by outgoing officers Larry Whitmer, Charles Wiltbank, Jeanne Wiltbank and Bonnie Bounds. National High School Awards for Excellence were presented to Seniors Tonna Sherwood, Alice Burk, Zola Merrill, Sharyl Hooper, Bill Coleman, Floran Becker, and Tana Ashcroft by Mr. Smith. Vocal solos, "Graduation Day" by Sharyl Hooper and "Impossible Dream" by Brent Hall, provided entertainment during the assembly May 24. Trini Logan earned a Spanish award.

Assemblies Provide Entertainment, Melody Makers Swing with Song

Cheerleaders, Pompon and Twirlers ushered in track and baseball season on March 26 with an assembly. The twirlers did a baseball skit while the cheerleaders sang a song about a girls' track team. The Pompons' skit showed them waiting for "the paper" but few caught the gist of the skit. Jack Chase demonstrated wheelchair basketball on March 12 while Clark Metcalf presented a guitar program of musical novelties on April 2. Jim Manning, a former coach and pro football player turned singer, gave a program of folk songs on April 22. All three represented National School Assemblies. Mr. Melvin DeWitt, who left Elkland at the end of the year to accept a position at Snowflake, accepts a certificate of appreciation from music department members.

BACCALUAREATE PROGRAM

May 19, 1968 - 8:00 p. .m

Round Valley High School Auditorium

Processional:
"Recessional from Athalia" .... Mendelssohn
Jim Becker, Organist ..... Thayla Hall, Pianist

Invocation ..... Mary Alice Burk

Scripture Reading ..... Gayle DeWitt

Song-Madarigal Chorus
"The Lord Bless You and Keep You"....Lutkin
Jolene LeSueur, Tonna Sherwood, DeRae Nelson, Sharyl Hooper, Charlotte Wilkins, Tina Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt, Madeline Hall, Kayle Haws, Russell Crosby, Dale Hall, Eldon Pond, Charles Wiltbank, Alan Slade, Brent Hall, Rodney Penrod.

Introduction of Speaker:
Mr. Rance Smith, Principal

Baccalaureate Address:
Reverend A. R. Coleman-Pastor, Baptist Church

Benediction ..... Gwenda Sue Hickman

Recessional:
"Recessional from Althalia"
Jim Becker, Organist .... Thayla Hall, Pianist

Rev. A. R. Coleman compares life with a game of football

Madrigal Choir sings "The Lord Bless You and Keep You"

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

May 24, 1968 - 8:00 P. M.

Round Valley High School Gymnasium

Processional:
"Pomp and Circumstance" Elger
Jim Becker, Organist .... Thayla Hall, Pianist

Invocation ..... Ann Elizabeth Rogers

Salutatory Address ..... Tonna Larre Sherwood

"May You Always" ..... Markes & Charles
Sheryl Hooper, Becky Silva, Brent Hall, Rodney Penrod, Gloria Queen, Tana Ashcroft.

Valedictory Address ..... Tana Fay Ashcroft

"Climb Every Mountain"....Rogers & Hamerstein
Tonna Sherwood, DeRae Nelson, Gayle DeWitt, Madeline Hall.

Introduction of Speaker:
Bill Coleman, President of Senior Class

Commencement Address:
Lewis J. McDonald, ED.D. Executive Director of University Relations. Northern Arizona University Flagstaff, Arizona.

Presentation of Class of 1968:
Mr. Rance Smith, Principal

Presentation of Diplomas:
Larry Sherwood, President Apache County High School Board of Education.

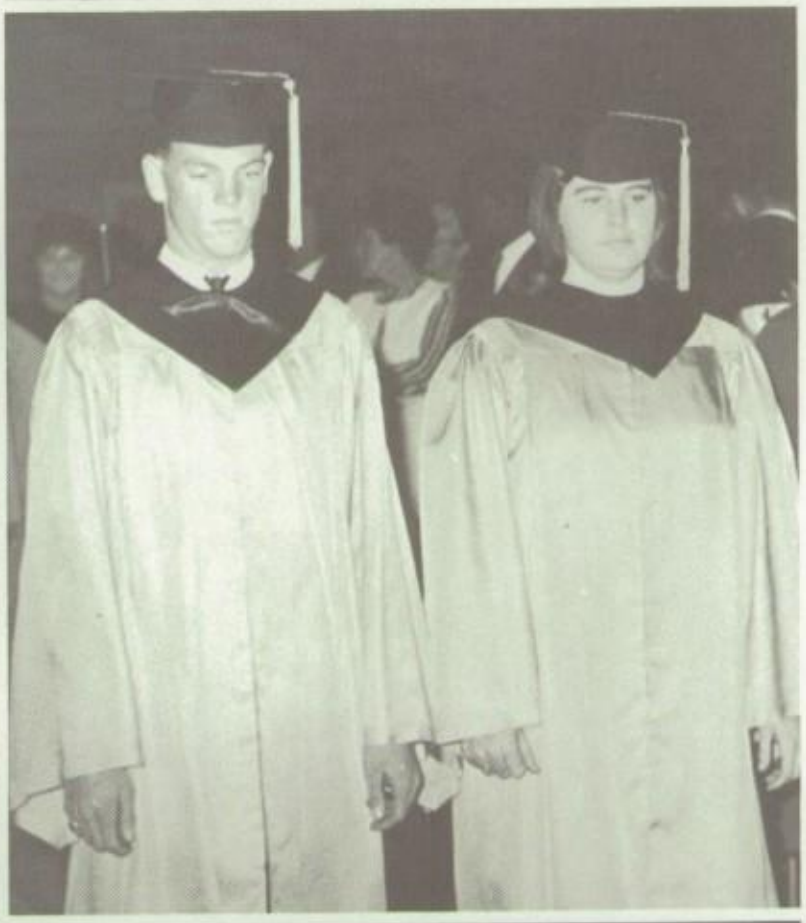
"Deep In The Valley" ... Graduating Class of 1968

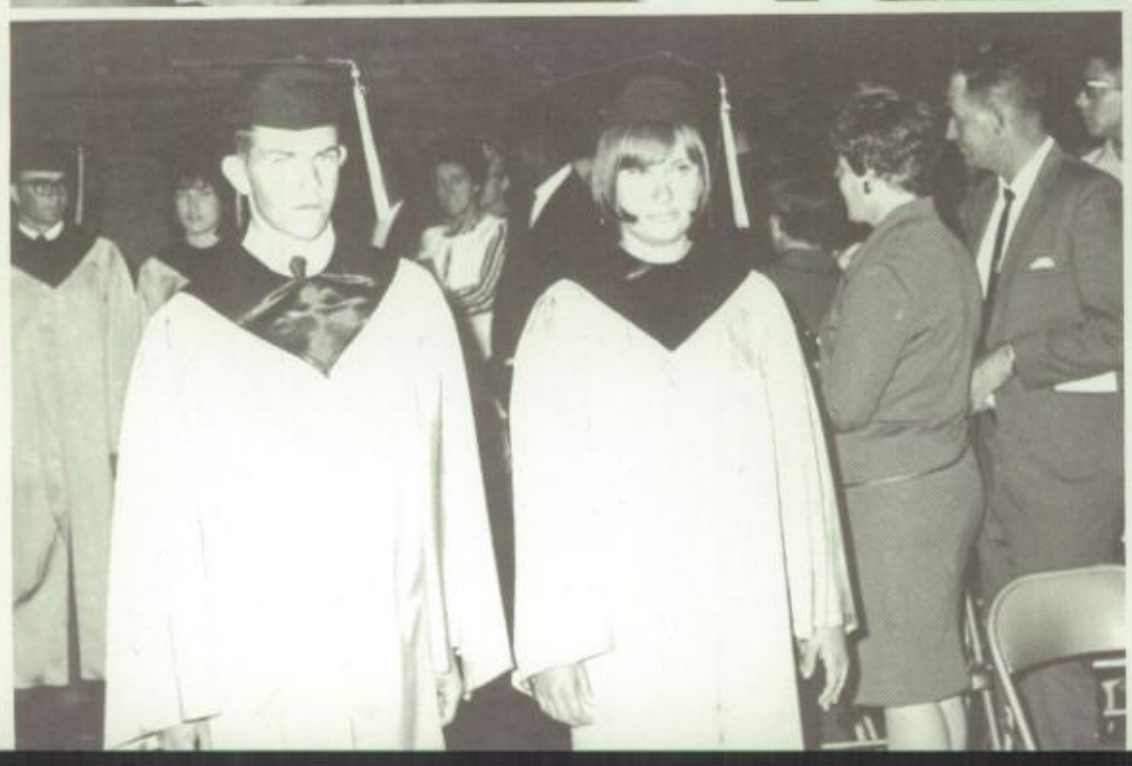
Benediction ..... Madeline Gayle Hall

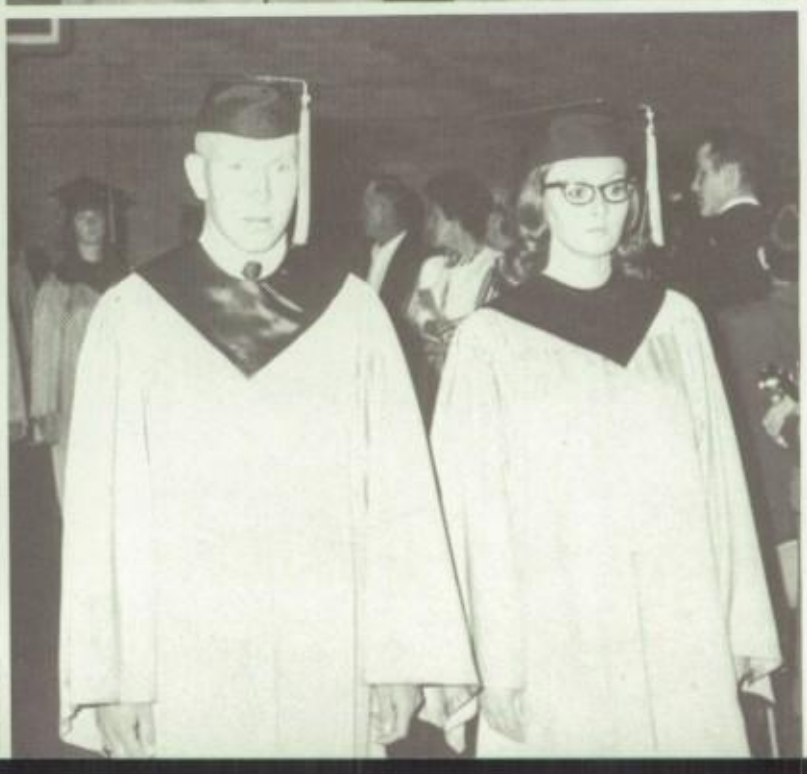
Recessional:
"Pomp and Circumstance" .... Elger
Jim Becker, Organist .... Thayla Hall, Pianist

Dr. Lewis McDonald, Northern Arizona University was the guest speaker.

Owen Nelson and Jacqualyn Thompson were Junior Honor Guards







Tonna Sherwood, second in class rank was the salutatorian.

Tana Ashcroft, with the highest grade average, was valedictorian.

Senior Class President, Bill Coleman, introduced the speaker.

Principal Rance Smith presented the class of '68 to the board.

Dr. Lewis McDonald Delivers Address to 39 Seniors at Commencement

Diplomas were presented to 39 graduating seniors by chairman of the Apache County High School Board of Education, Mr. Larry Sherwood. Mr. Sherwood also had the proud distinction of being the salutatorian's, Tonna Sherwood, father.

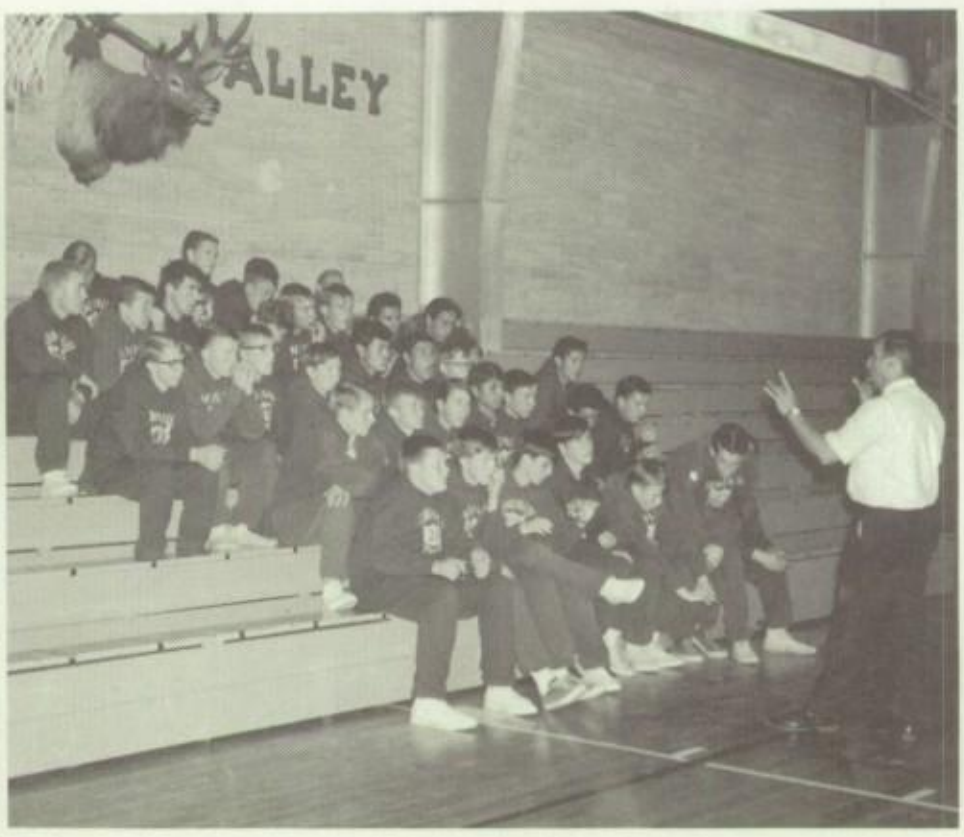
An ensemble made up of Sharyl Hooper, Becky Silva, Brent Hall, Rodney Penrod, Gloria Queen and Tana Ashcroft sang "May You Always" and the girls quartet, composed of De Rae Nelson, Tonna Sherwood, Gayle DeWitt and Madeline Hall sang "Climb Every Mountain".

Back Row: Williams, Nelson, C. Hall, Peters, Penrod, Carrillo, Whitmer, Coach Madariaga. Third Row: Judd, J. Johnson, C. Wiltbank, Pond, Wilkins, Whiting, Chavez, Logan, R. Johnson. Second Row: J. Wiltbank, Lytle, Haws, Hamblin, Tsosie, Rodriguez, Bosen, Finch, Moya, D. Brown. First Row: LeSueur, Rogers, S. Slade, J. Hall, J. Brown, C. Crosby, S. Crosby, Isaac, Herbella, Montoya, Baca, Walden. Not Pictured: A. Slade, J. Rodriguez.

Track Team Takes "B-East" Crown,

1968 TRACK SEASON'S RECORD:

Mar. 16 ABC Meet at Holbrook. Placed 7th, 23 schools
Mar. 28 St. Johns at RV. Elks 76, Redskins 51
Mar. 30 Olmstead Relays at Winslow, Won 1st place
Apr. 6 Alchesay at Whiteriver. Elks 88½, Falcons 64½
Apr. 19 Reserve at RV. Elks 120, Mountaineers 33
Apr. 20 Window Rock Invitational, Winslow 121, RV 85.
Apr. 27 Winslow Invitational, Winslow 120, RV 84, Snowflake 80.
May 4 Round Valley Invitational—rained out
May 7 St. Johns at SJ. Elks 69, Redskins 58
May 11 B. East at Thatcher, RV 68, SJ 50, Clifton 36, Alchesay 28, Blue Ridge 15, Duncan 12.
May 18 State Meet, Tucson. Antelope 87, Ray 57, Marana & Gilbert 37, RV 36.



Bobby Peters, a pole vaulter and high jumper as well as a trackman, won the outstanding trackman award for the Elk team by scoring 117½ points during the season. Charles Wiltbank, pictured below, with 96½ points was second while Alan Slade, with 94½ points, was third in scoring honors. Many new records were set during the season.

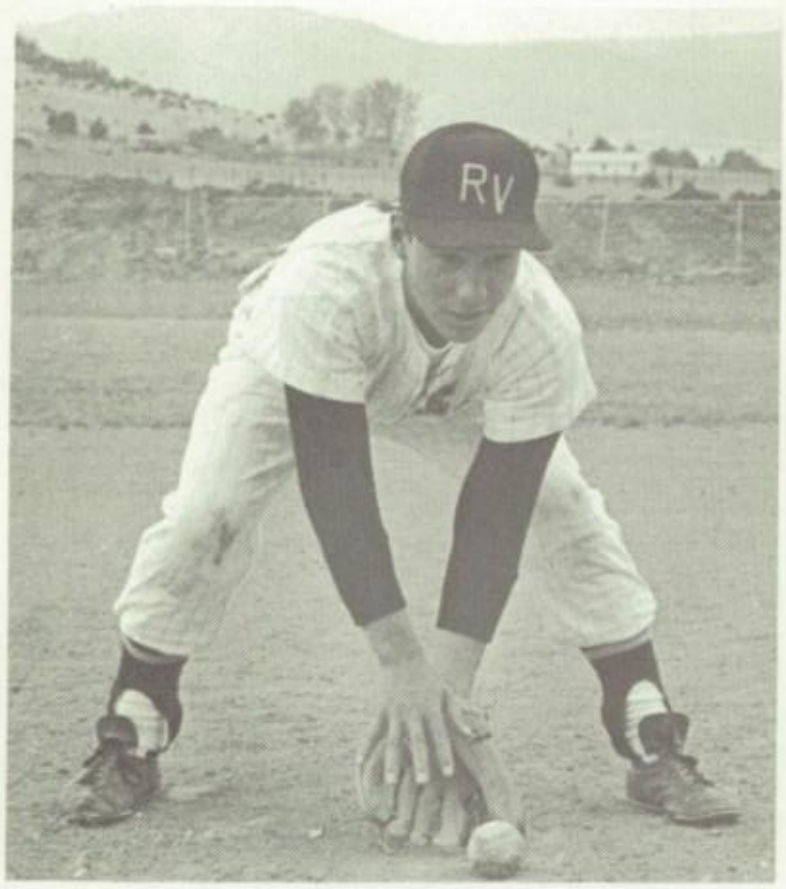
Carl Whiting won 1st place in the mile run at the state meet and set a new school record in 1968 at 4:37. Alan Slade won 1st in the 880 yd. run. His new record is 1.59.8.

Wins Two First Places at State Meet

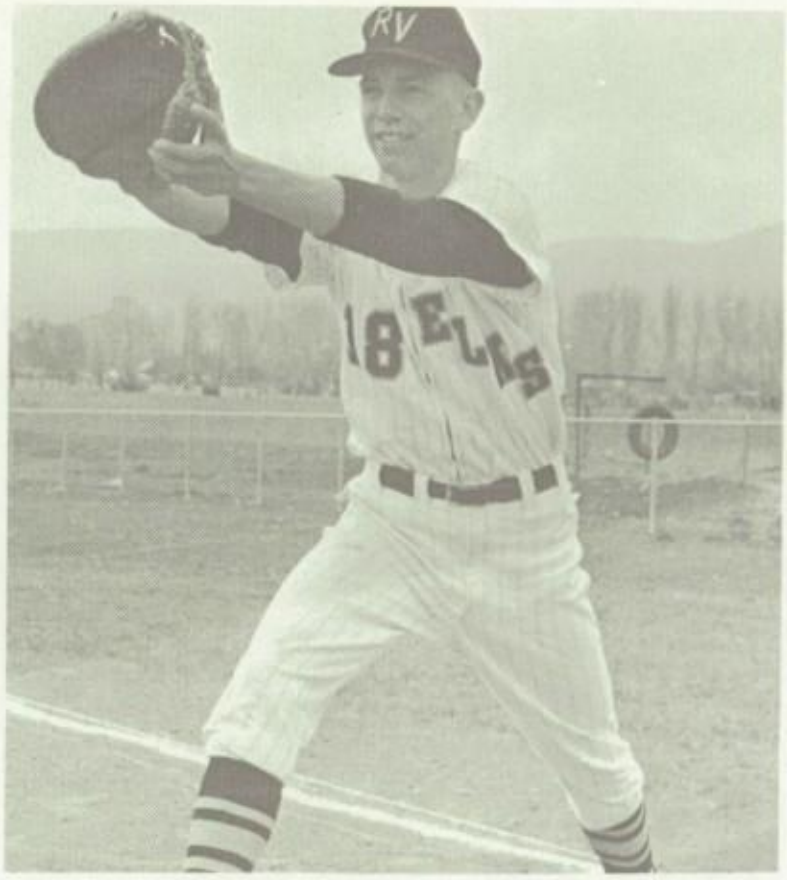
ROUND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL TRACK AND FIELD RECORDS:

Event	Holder or Holders	Time or Distance	Year Made
100 yd. Dash	Donald Gardom	10.0 WA	1964
220 yd. Dash	Robert Proctor	22.3	1967
440 yd. Dash	George Proctor	51.4	1966
880 yd. Run	Alan Slade	1.59.8	1968*
Mile Run	Carl Whiting	4.37	1968*
High Hurdles	Gary Hill	15.3	1965
Low Hurdles	Gary Hill	21.1	1965
Shot Put	Tom Qualls	47'11½"	1963
Discus	Dennis Maxwell	140'11½"	1963
Pole Vault	Keith Peters	12' 7¾"	1966
High Jump	Bobby Peters	6'1/8"	1968*
Broad Jump	Dennis Sherwood	21' 5½"	1964
880 yd. Relay	S. Udall, D. Sherwood, B. Hall, D. Gardom	1.35	1964
Mile Relay	L. Whitmer, E. Pond, C. Hall, A. Slade	3.33.6	1968*
2 Mile Run	Anthony James	11:19.6	1968*

*Set this season.

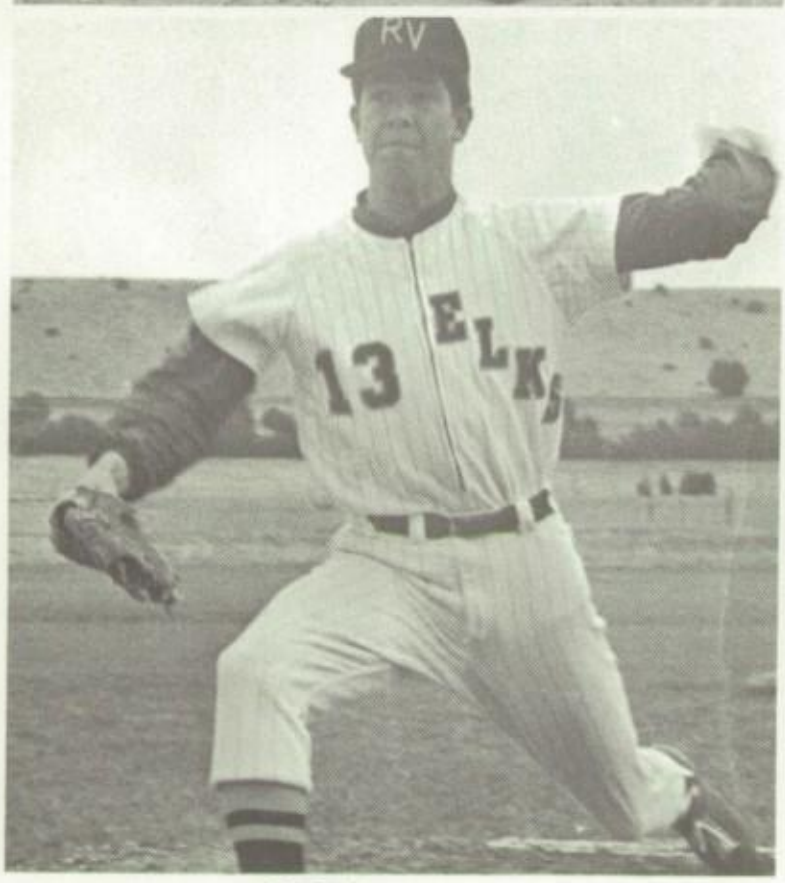


Johnny Chavez, Junior, Second base, batting average .328, Hon. Mention B. East.

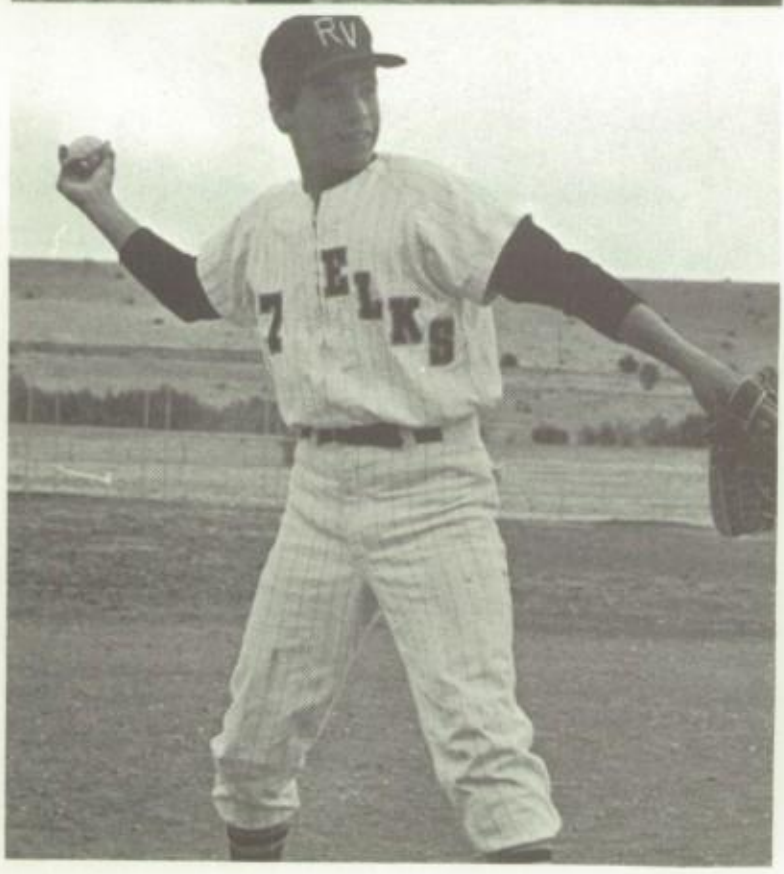


Wayne Wiltbank Junior. First base, batting average .394, Hon. Mention B East.

Elks Win Second in Compile Best Record

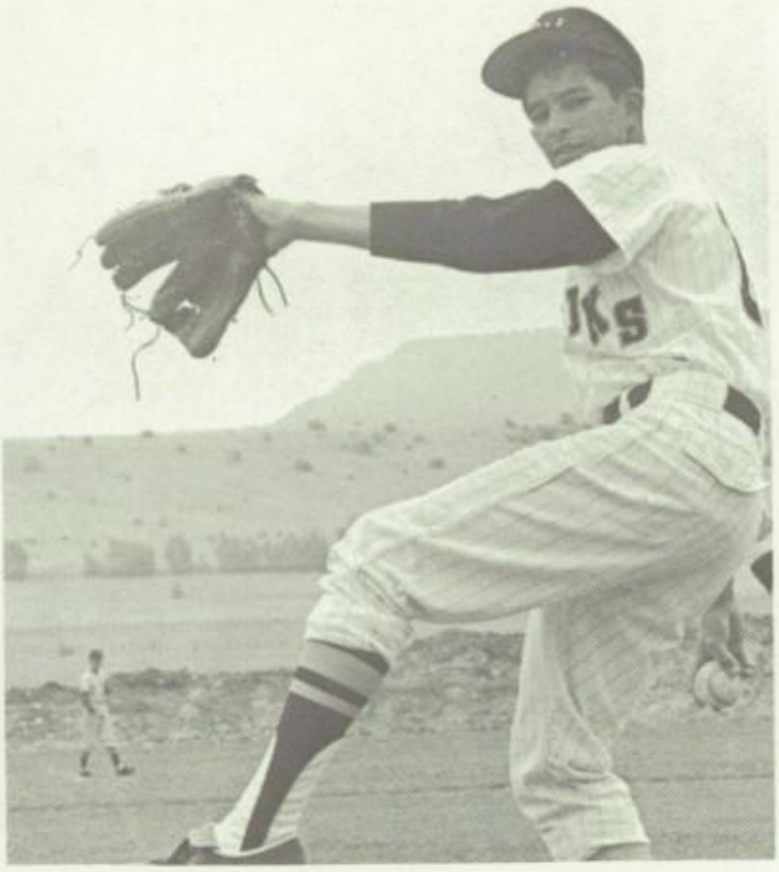


Ronnie Carrillo, Senior. Pitcher, co-captain. Won 7, Lost 1 (5-4 loss to Clifton). Batting average .363. Hon. Mention B. East, All-State. All-Star (North) Pitcher, won RV Outstanding Pitcher award.

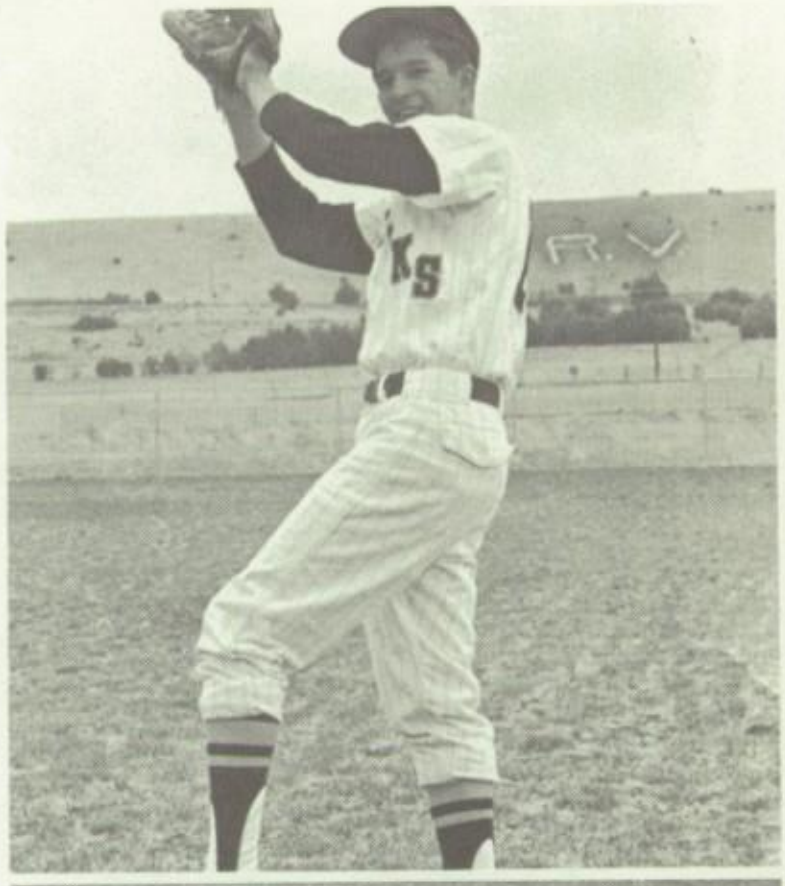


Lupe Logan, Junior. Third base, batting average .313, all-conference B. East. 2nd team All-State.

Ron Johnson, Junior. Catcher, batting average .427, Hon. Mention B East, All-State. Runner-up RV outstanding player award.

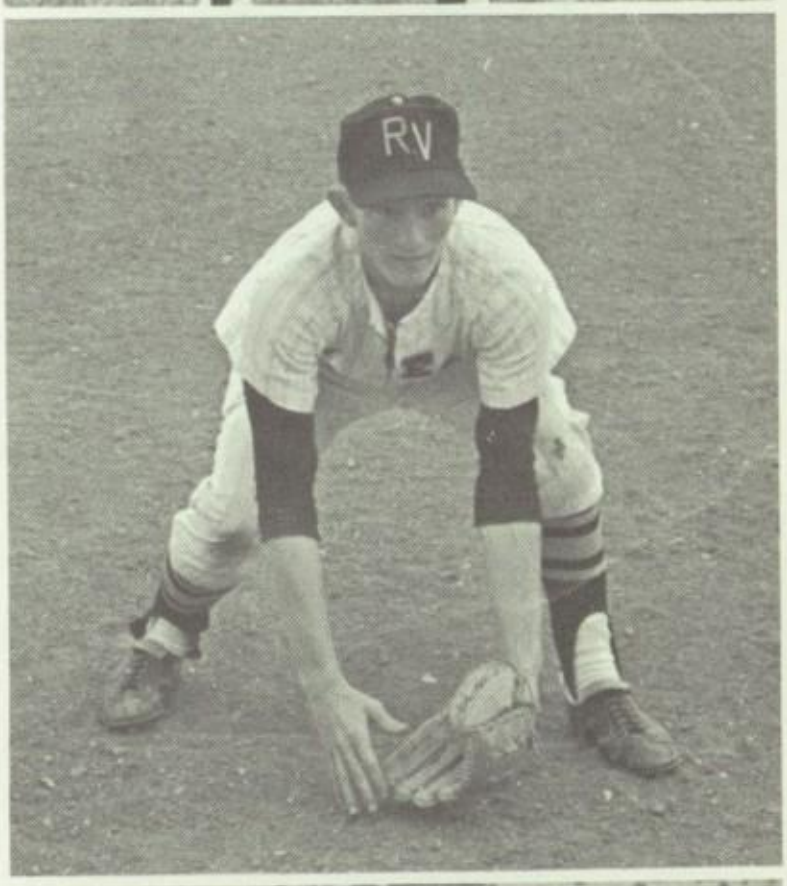


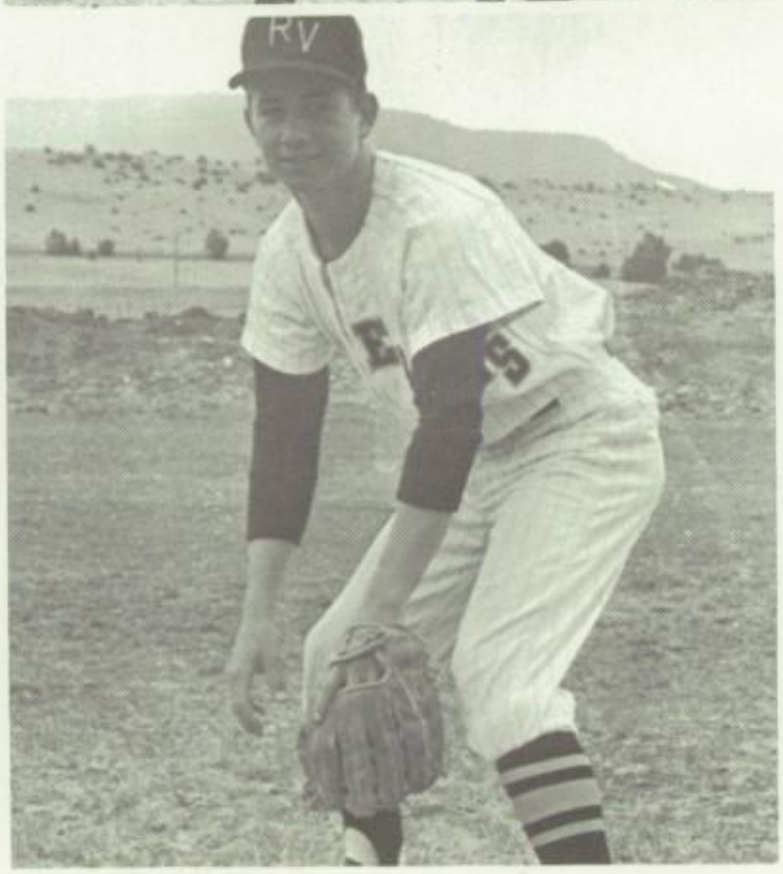
Fred Lomeli, Sophomore. Left field, relief pitcher, batting average 327. Won 5, lost 3.



"B-East" Baseball, in RV's History

Bill Coleman, Senior. Shortstop, co-captain batting average .448. All-conference B. East 2nd team all-state, Round Valley High's outstanding baseball player award, RV outstanding infielder award.





Ken Harper, Junior. Center field, batting average .455 (highest on team), All-conference B East, 1st team All-state, Round Valley High outstanding outfielder award.

Jack Johnson, Sophomore. Right field, batting average .321. Also a relief pitcher with 1 win, 1 loss.

B-East and All-State Honors went to Ronnie Carrillo, Bill Coleman, Ron Johnson, Ken Harper and Lupe Logan, Johnny Chavez and Wayne Wiltbank also received honorable mention.

Back Row: Coach Coombs, Lomeli, Savedra, Harper, W. Wiltbank, R. Johnson, Lytle, Coach Simms. Front Row: J. Chavez, H. Chavez, Retana, J. Johnson, L. Logan, Thompson, Coombs, T. Logan, Coach Reeves. Managers: Hunt, Bloomfield.

"Sluggers" Set New Records As 5 Are Placed on "B-East" All-State Teams

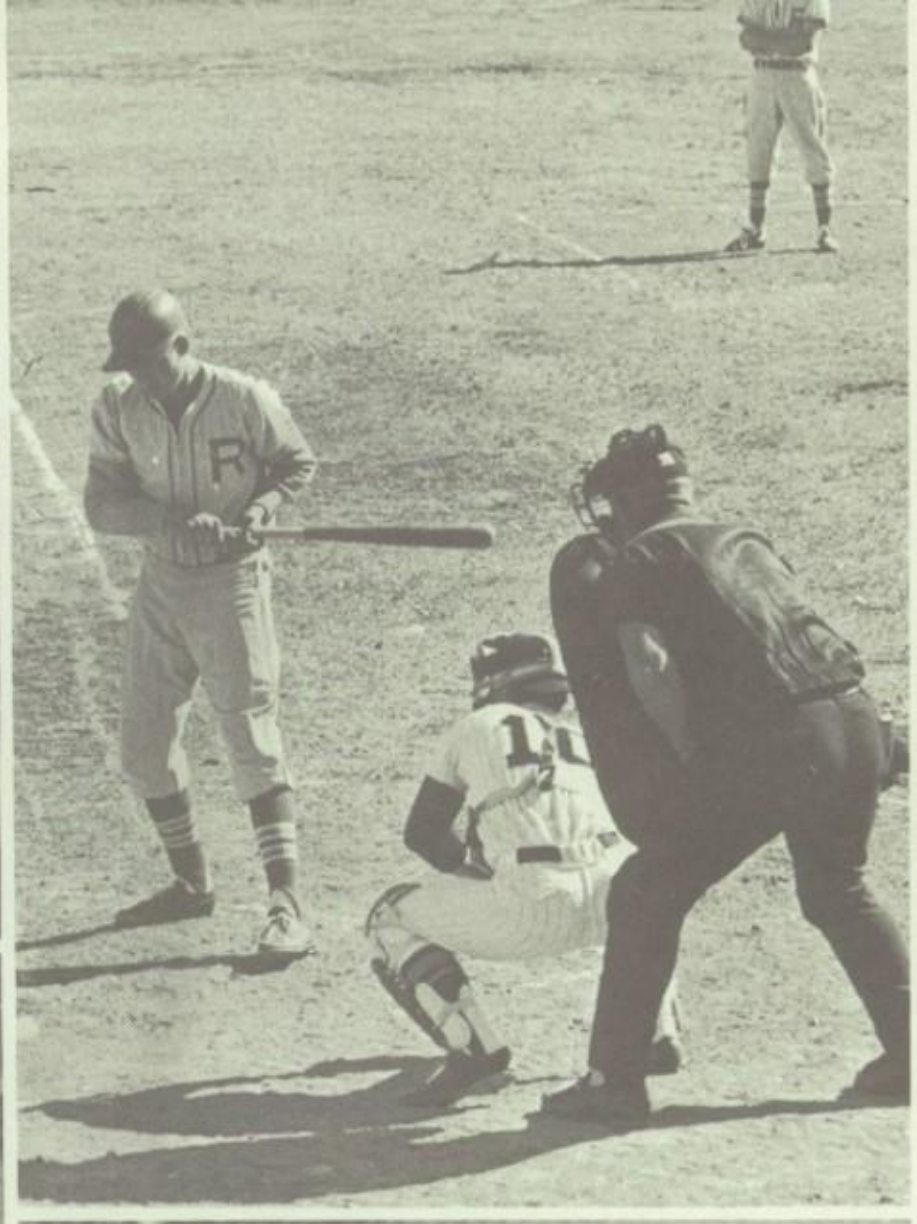
1968 BASEBALL SEASON STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	RV	OP
March 15	Snowflake Lobos there	2	12
March 22	Clifton Trojans there	4	5
March 23	Thatcher Eagles there	4	3
March 26	Reserve (N.M) Mountaineers here	15	2
dh	Reserve (N.M) Mountaineers here	11	4
March 29	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets here	15	1
March 30	Alchesay Falcons here	10	7
April 4	St. Johns Redskins there	13	4
April 5	Holbrook Roadrunners there	2	6
April 10	Reserve (N.M.) Mountaineers there	12	5
April 19	St. Johns Redskins here	5	4
April 20	Winslow Bulldogs there	3	10
April 23	Blue Ridge Yellowjackets here	16	7
April 27	Duncan Wildkats here	10	6
April 27	Duncan Wildkat Jayvee here	12	2
May 3	Snowflake Lobos here	7	10
May 4	Alchesay Falcons there	16	8

Season's Record: 12 Wins, 5 Losses–Won 5, Lost 1 in conference play, second place B East Conference.

Junior Varsity Team: Gary Thompson, Richard Strickland, Dean Wiltbank, Steve Wiltbank, Arnie Moya, Coach Reeves. Front: Herman Chavez, Craig Coombs, Ricky Savedra, Arturo Retana, Trini Logan. Managers: Robert Hunt, Russell Bloomfield.

Coach Diz Reeves was head coach while Jay Coombs and Al Simms were his assistants.



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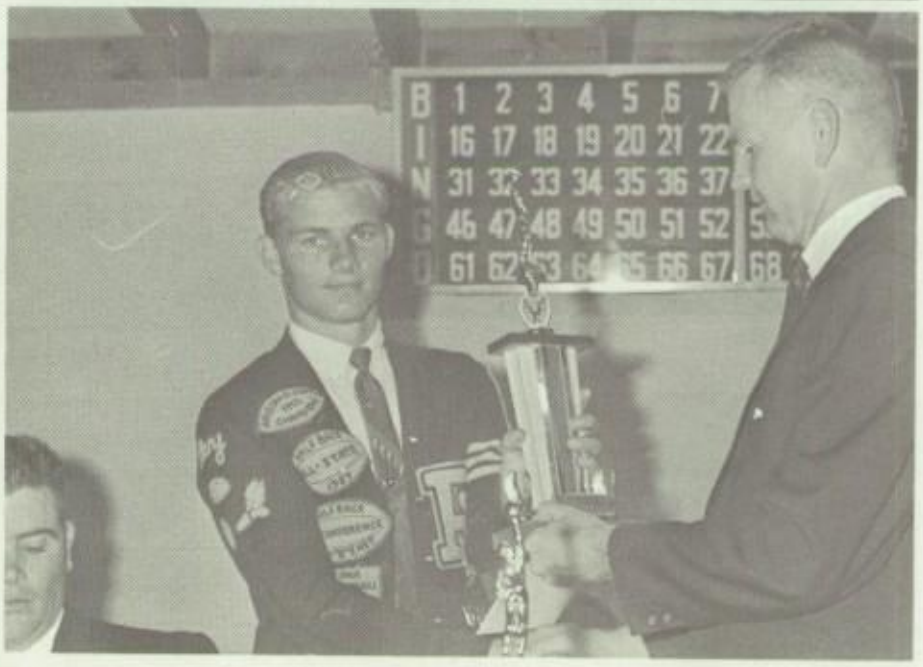
Wulk Speaks at Sports Banquet



Bobby Peters, BB Captain's Trophy; Charles Wiltbank, Outstanding BB; Clay Hall, Most Inspirational BB player; Clay Hall, Best Offense FB; Ron Carrillo, Best Defense FB; Danny Brown, Wrestling; Bill Coleman, Baseball.

Happiness is . . . having a yearbook dedicated to you! Ted Carrillo looks happy as Editor Floran Becker reads the dedication of the 1968 ELK to him. The book unveiled at a "Fiesta Time" banquet May 9, had 10 color pages.

Ted Carrillo Revealed Dedicatee of 1968 Elk at Yearbook Banquet May 9

Steve Miles, 1967 ELK Editor, attended the banquet and crowned the new royalty: Floran Becker, Miss Elk; Bill Coleman, Mr. Elk; DeRae Nelson, Miss RVHS; and Clay Hall, Mr. RVHS. 65 attended the banquet.

Spring Concert Soloists: T. Sherwood, R. Penrod, B. Hall, C. Wilkins, S. Hooper, R. Crosby, B. Anderson.

Music Division Gives Concerts, Confers Awards

Festival Soloists, along with the girls quartet and the madrigal choir, performed at the spring concert May 14. Bryant Whiting was the guest speaker at the music banquet and awards night May 16. Wanda Gilliam and Russel Crosby sang solos. Top music students were named: Tonna Sherwood, National Choral Award; DeRae Nelson, Accompanist, John Philip Sousa Band Award, All Around Music Student; Sharyl Hooper, Vocal; and Russel Crosby, Instrumental.

Students Elect Officers, Twirlers, Cheerleaders, Pompon Girls

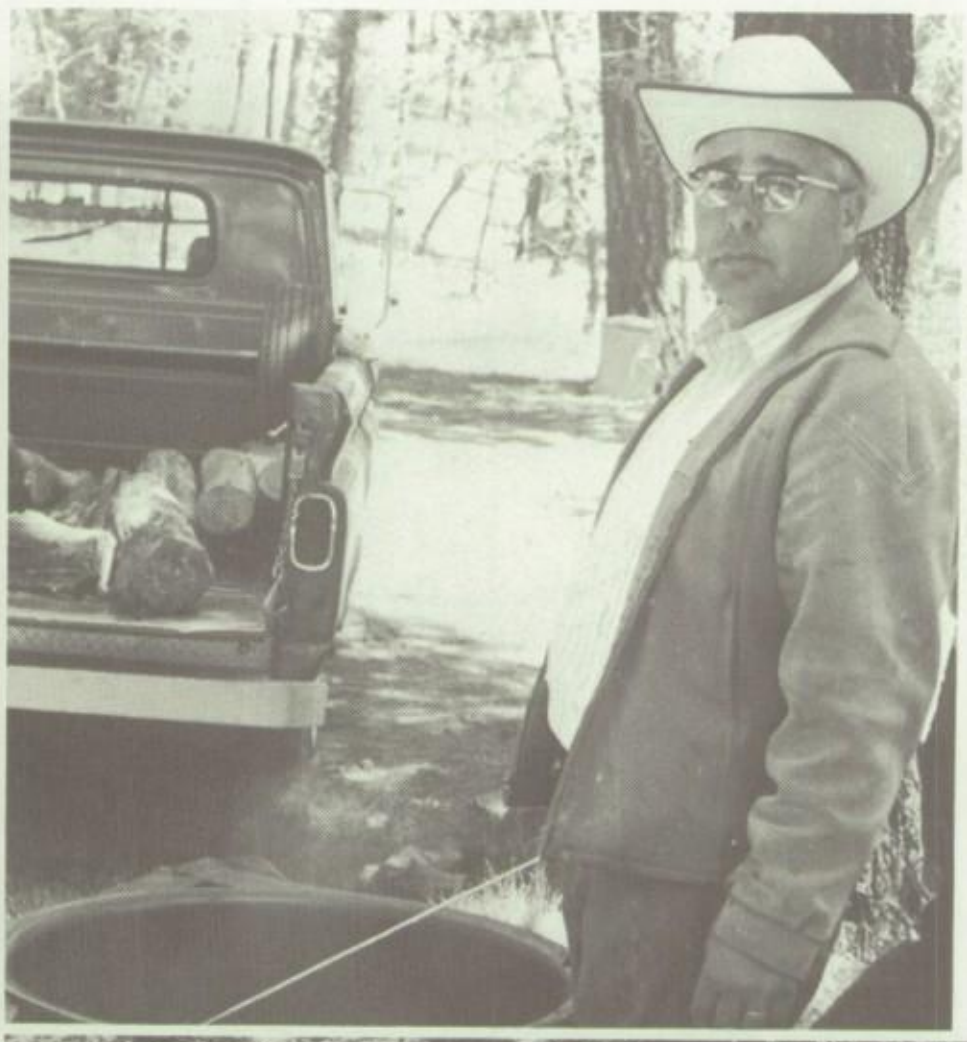
All-school elections were held during the first part of May. New student body officers are: Marta Jirsa, Treasurer; Chris Wise, Secretary; Ken Harper, Vice-President and Owen Nelson, President. Class presidents are: Sophomore–Jimmy Brown, Junior–Todd Bosen and Senior–Eldon Pond.

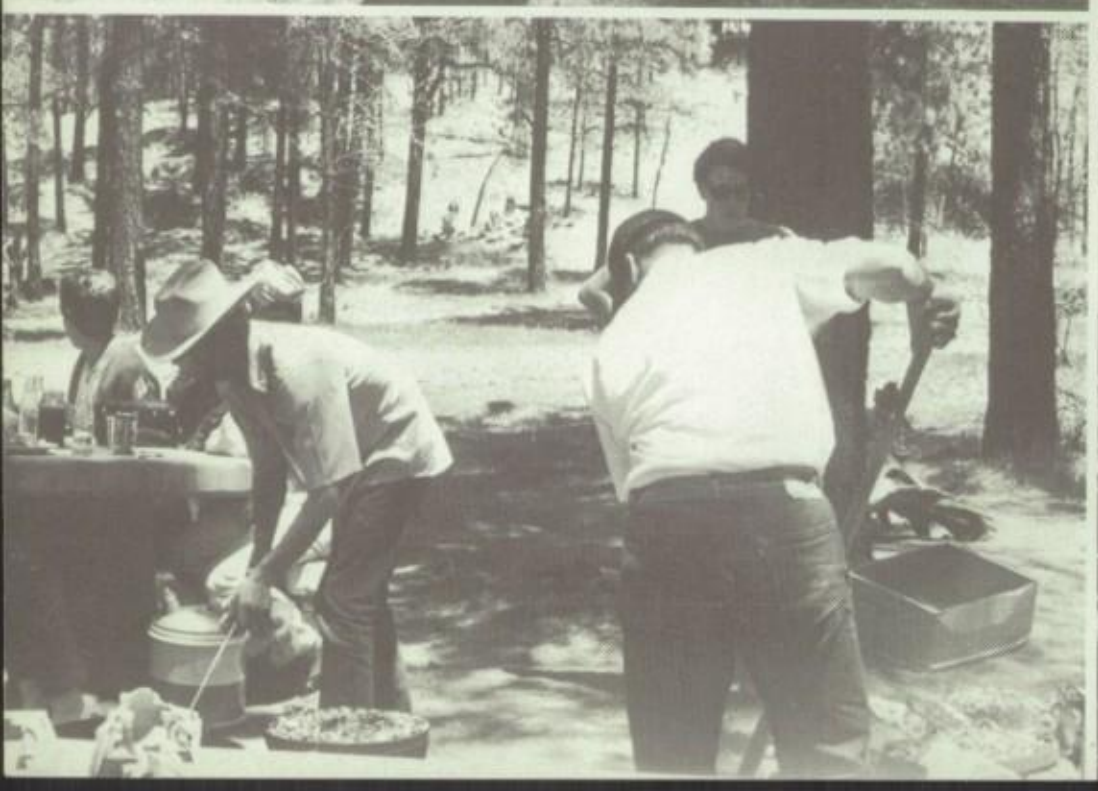
Twirlers are: Wilkins, C. Hall (head) and LeSueur. Varsity cheerleaders are: Bounds, Harlan, D. Hall and Waelbroeck (head) while J.V. Cheerleaders are: Smith (head), Hearne, Sherwood and Slade. Pompon alternates are Summers and McCall While regulars are: Lund, Nelson, Gillespie, Wise, Branson (head), Finch, Youngbull, Judd, Hill and Not Pictured, Lee.

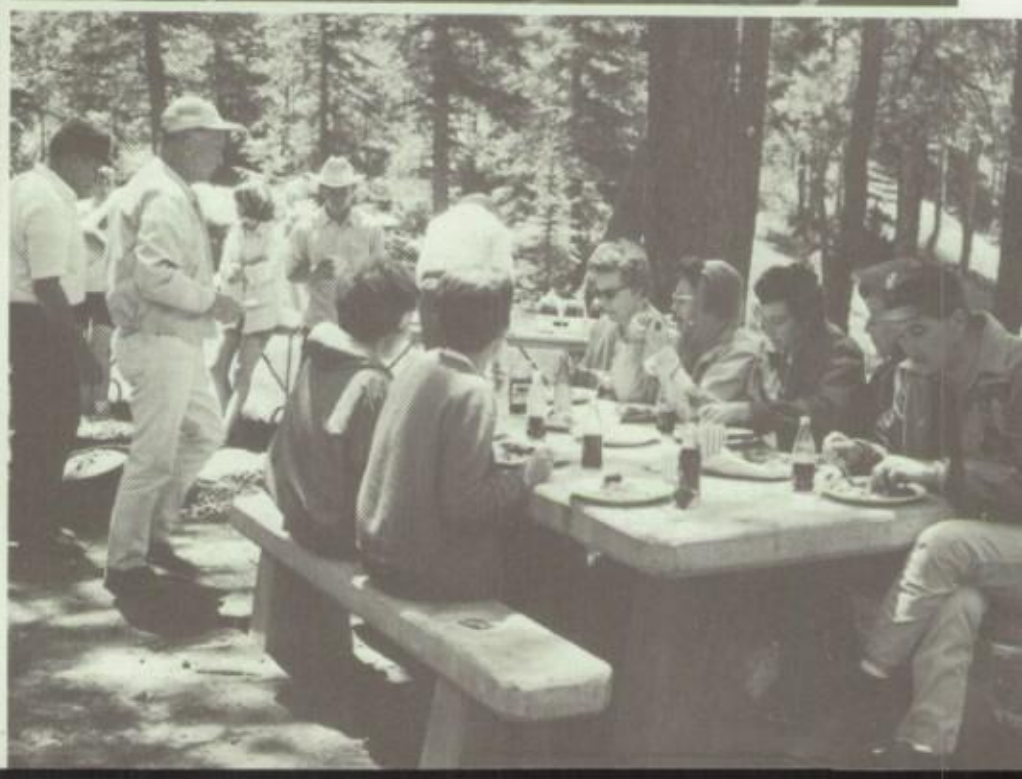
Ditch Day, Cookout, Picnic - Fountain

The Seniors traveled to Sheep's Crossing for their Ditch Day May 22 and spent the day lazily fishing, playing football or just loafing in the sun. The next day, May 23, they were host to the faculty for a cookout held in conjunction with the all-school picnic at Alpine Divide. Brent Hall and Ryan Palmer, with their sponsor's help, did most of the cooking.

The menu consisted of sizzling steak, hot rolls (cooked in dutch ovens), salad, pop and coffee. The get together was the last one for faculty and seniors.

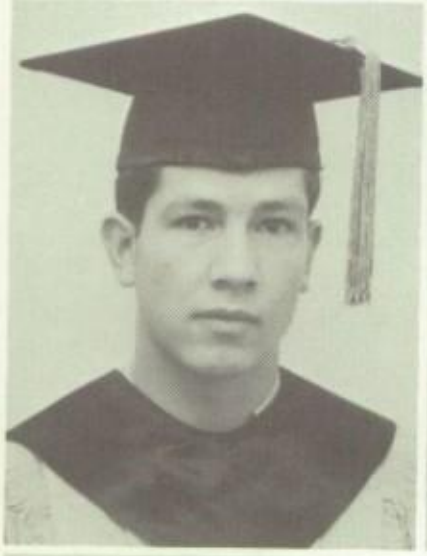


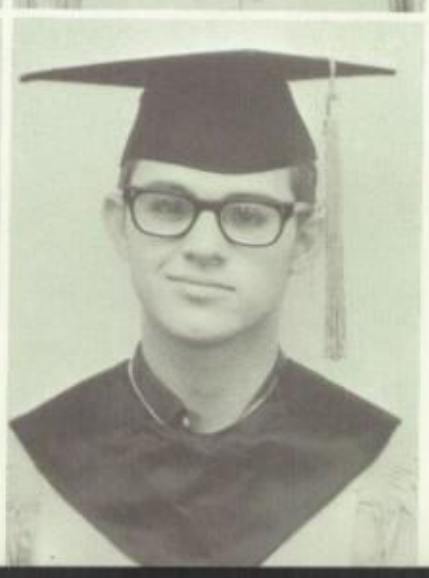




# of Youth for Those Who Think Young!

"Action was the order of the day as students and faculty gathered at Alpine Divide May 23 for the annual all-school picnic. Activities included playing football . . . practicing marksmanship with water pistols . . . pitching horseshoes or washers . . . having a singalong complete with guitar accompaniment . . . loafing in the sun . . . climbing a hill . . . or playing a fast-moving game of volleyball.





39 Active Seniors

TANA FAY ASHCROFT, Junior Prom Princess 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Girls State 3; ASU Medallion of Merit 3; U.Z. Alumni Award 3; Junior Honor Guard 3; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Quill & Scroll 3,4, Secretary 3; National Honor Society 3,4, President 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Newspaper Staff 2, 3,4; Band 1,2,3; Choir 1,3; Twirler 1; Cheerleader 2,3,4, Head 4; Senator 1; Class Secretary-Treasurer 2; Valedictorian 4; Outstanding English Student 4; Reader's Digest Award 4; Who's Who in American High Schools 4; National High School Award for Excellence 4; Secretaries, Inc. 4; ASU Academic Scholarship 4

FLORAN JEANINE BECKER, Class Vice-President 4; Sweethearts Ball Queen 3; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Quill & Scroll 3,4, Vice-President 4; National Honor Society 3,4, Vice-President 4; Yearbook Staff 3,4, Index Editor 3, Editor-in-chief 4; Choir 1,2; Cheerleader 1; Pompon 2,3; Miss Elk 4; Outstanding Journalism Award 4; Danforth Award 4; National High School Award for Excellence 4; Ethel Becker Memorial Scholarship 4; ASU Opportunity Grant 4; Secretaries, Inc. 4

GRACIE ANN BECKER, Newspaper Staff 4; Pompon 4; Choir 1; Model United Nations Assembly 4

MARY ALICE BURK, Class Secretary-Treasurer 3,4; Girls State 3; Quill & Scroll 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Newspaper Staff 2,3,4; Proofreader 4; Band 1; D.A.R. Award 4; Outstanding Social Studies Award 4; National High School Award for Excellence 4; ASU Opportunity Grant 4; Secretaries, Inc. 4

RONALD ANTHONY CARRILLO, Football 1,2,3,4, 1st team B North 3, 1st team All-State 3,4; Co-Captain All-State team 4, Tri-Captain Elk Team 4, Outstanding Offensive Player 4, 1st Team B East 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, 1st Team B North 3, 3rd team All-State 3, 1st Team B East 4; Baseball 1,2,4, Captain 3,4, Baseball All-Star Game 4, Hon. Men. All-State 4; Track 1,2,3,4, All-State 2, 2nd relay B North 2; 2nd B East Broad Jump 4, 1st B East 880 yd. relay 4, 1st B East Low Hurdles 4, 4th B State 880 yd. relay 4; Junior Prom King 3; Homecoming King 4

GERTRUDE MOYA CHAVEZ, Cheerleader Alternate 1; Pompon 3; Girls Basketball Intramural 1st team 3; F.H.A. 3; Secretaries, Inc. 4; NAU Opportunity Grant 4; New Frontier Club Scholarship 4

BILL A. COLEMAN, Class President 1,4; Boys State Alternate 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Outstanding Elk Player 4, Outstanding Infielder Elk Team 4, Co-captain 4, B East All-Conference Team 4, 2nd Team All-State 4; U.A. Alumni Award 3; Junior Honor Guard 3; L'il Abner 4; Football 1,2,4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Quill & Scroll 3,4, President 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Yearbook Staff 1,2,3,4; Photographer 1,2,3,4, Head Photographer 3,4; Basketball Intramurals 1st Team 3,4; Class Vice-President 3; Mr. Elk 4; Bausch & Lomb Science Award 4; National High School Award for Excellence 4; Grand Canyon College Academic Scholarship 4

GAYLE DE WITT, Transferred from Snowflake High 3; Class President 2; Madrigal 4; Girls Quartet 3,4; Quartet Festival Superior 4; F.H.A. 4; Yearbook Staff 1,2; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Speech Club 3, Treasurer 3; National Honor Society 4

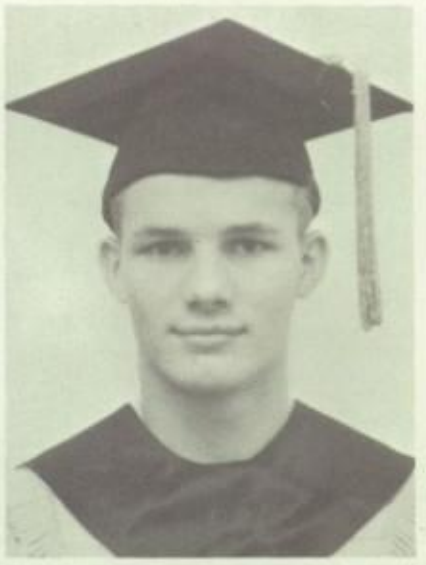
PATSY JO EAGAR, Basketball Intramurals 1st Team 3; Yearbook Staff 4, Business manager 4; Band 1,2,3, Percussion Representative 3; Choir 1,3; Secretaries, Inc. 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; President Elect 3, President 4

GARY LEE FORD, Transferred from Farmington High, Farmington, New Mexico 4

Graduate May 24

MERLYN BRENT HALL, Class President 2,3; Madrigal 4; Superior on Festival Solo 4; Excellent on State Festival Solo 4; Basketball 1; Rodeo Club 2, 3; Choir 1,4

WALLACE CLAY HALL, Football 2,3,4, 1st Team B East 4, 1st Team All-State 4, Outstanding Defensive Player Elk Team 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Hon. Mention B. East 4, Most Inspirational Player Elk team 4; Track 2,3,4, 4th B State Mile Relay 4, 3rd B East 880 yd. run 4, 3rd B East Pole Vault 4, 2nd B East Mile Relay 4; Rodeo Club 3, Vice-President 3; Mr. RVHS 4; V.F.W. Scholarship 4



MADELINE GAYLE HALL, Class Senator 2,3,4; Basketball Intramurals 1st Team 2,4; Madrigal and Girls Quartet 3,4; Superior on Quartet at Festival 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 2, Secretary 4; Band 1,2; Choir 1,2,3,4; Twirler 1, 3,4, Secretaries, Inc. 4

LINDA JEANETTE HARRIS, F.H.A. 1,2,4; Drama Club 2,4; Choir 1,3; Speech Club 3,4; Perfect Attendance 4

GWENDA SUE HICKMAN, F.H.A. 3; Yearbook Staff 3; Secretaries, Inc. 4

SHARYL LIN HOOPER, Girls State Alternate 3; Superior on Festival Solo 4, Excellent on Solo at State 4; Madrigal 4; Excellent on District Dramatic reading 3; Outstanding Teenager of America 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Drama 1,2,3, 4; Outstanding Speech and Drama Award 3; Quill & Scroll 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, Secretary 4; Yearbook Staff 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 2, 3,4, Editor 4; Band 4; Music Treasurer 4; Speech Club 2,3,4; Pompon 2,3; Outstanding Vocalist Award 4; National Award for Excellence 4; A.S.U. Academic Scholarship and Opportunity Grant 4; Model United Nations Assembly 4

THOMAS DOUGLAS KELLETT, Transferred from Canyon Del Oro High, Tucson, 1; Basketball Intramurals 1st Team 4; University of Arizona Opportunity Grant 4

HUGH JOE McCALL, Basketball Intramurals 1st team 2,4; Track 3; Drama Club 4; Basketball 1

SHIRLEY ANN MATTHEWS, Choir 3; Secretaries, Inc. 4

ZOLA GRACE MERRILL, Class Senator 4; Daisy Mae 4; Basketball Intramurals 1st Team 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Chairman of Degrees 3; Rodeo Club 2, 3; Quill & Scroll 3,4; National Honor Society 3; Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Pompon 2, National High School Award for Excellence 4

Write a New Chapter

DeRAE DORIS NELSON, Band 1,3,4; President 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; President 4; Madrigal and Girls Quartet 3,4; Quartet Festival Superior 4; Accompanist 1,2,3,4, Outstanding Accompanist Award 4; John Phillip Sousa Band Award 4; Most Valuable All Around Music Student Award 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Secretary 2; Miss RVHS 4; Eastern Arizona College Music Scholarship 4

BRUCE ALLEN OCKRASSA, Transferred from Central High School, Phoenix 4; Drama Club 4; Speech Festival 4; Newspaper Staff 4

WENDALL RYAN PALMER, Football 1,2,3; Homecoming Parade Chairman 4

DENNIS RODNEY PENROD, Transferred from Snowflake High 2; Junior Prom Prince 3; Sweethearts Ball King 4; Madrigal 3,4; Football 2,3; Basketball 3; Track 3,4; Lettermen's Club 3,4, Sergeant at Arms 3, Vice-President 4; Drama Club 4; Rodeo Club 3; Choir 4

BOBBY GENE PETERS, Sweethearts Ball Prince 3; Football 1,4; Class Vice-President 2,3; Class Senator 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 3,4, 2nd team B East 4; Track 1,2,3,4, 1st High Jump B North 3, 2nd Pole Vault B North 3; 5th B State Pole Vault 3, 2nd Pole Vault B East 4, 1st High Jump B East 4, 1st 880 yd. relay B East 4, 2nd High Jump B State 4, 4th 880 yd. relay B State 4, Outstanding Elk Trackman 4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4, President 4, Rodeo Club 3, Choir 4

GLORIA DIANE QUEEN, Junior Prom Queen 3; Homecoming Princess 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4, Secretary 4; Rodeo Club 2,3; Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Band 1,2; Choir 1,2,3; Twirler 1, Cheerleader 2,3,4; Secretaries, Inc. 4

WAYNE LESTER REIDHEAD, Drama Club 4

ARTURO MARTINEZ RETANA, JR., Class Vice-President 1; Football 2; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 3,4; Wrestling 4; Track 4; Lettermen's Club 3,4; Spanish Club 1; Band 4; Choir 4; Northern Arizona University Opportunity Grant 4

RONALD LYNN RIDDLE, Drama Club 4; Lincoln Technical Institute Scholarship 4

ANNE ELIZABETH ROGERS, Transferred from Holy Cross High, Dover, Delaware 4; Art Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Choir 1; Newspaper 4

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SHERRY JEAN ROGERS, F.H.A. 3,4; Coed Correspondent 4; Choir 1; Newspaper Staff 4; Secretaries, Inc. 4

TONNA LARRE SHERWOOD, Choir, Madrigal, Girls Quartet 1,2,3,4; Superior on District and State Festival Solos 3; Outstanding Soloist 3; National Vocal Music Award 4; Outstanding Home Economics Student 3,4; F.H.A. 1, 2,3,4, Chairman of Degrees 4; Quill & Scroll 3,4; National Honor Society 3, 4, Secretary 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Salutatorian 4; Who's Who in American High Schools 4; National High School Award for Excellence 4; Hospital Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship 4; B. Y. U. Nursing Grant 4

BECKY MARIE SILVA, F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,4; Rodeo Club 2; Quill & Scroll 4; Yearbook Staff 3,4; Index Editor 4; Band 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1; Pompon 2,3; Class Secretary 1; Class Senator 2,4

LEOLA SLADE, Yearbook Staff 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Secretaries, Inc. 4

HELEN CORONA SMITH, Transferred from Cobre High, Bayard, New Mexico 4; Commerce Club 3; Latin Club 2,3; Future Nurses 2; Girls Athletic Association 2,3; Choir 1; F.H.A. 1

BONNIE JO TIPTON, F.H.A. 1,2,3; Yearbook Staff 4; Band 1,2; Choir 1; Secretaries, Inc. 4; Outstanding Business Student Award 4; Northern Arizona University Opportunity Grant 4

ROXANNA WELCH, Round Valley High 1,2,4; Bonneville High, Utah 3; F.H.A. 1,2,4; Choir 1; Pompon 3

LARRY KAY WHITMER, Football 2,3,4, Hon. Men. B. East 4, Tri-Captain Elk Team 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4, 4th B East 440 yd. dash 4; 2nd B East Mile Relay 4; 4th B State Mile Relay 4; Student body president 4; Homecoming Prince 4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; Choir 3; Perfect Attendance 4; Danforth Award 4

ROBERT BARRY WILLIAMS, Round Valley High 1,3,4; New Mexico Military Academy, Roswell 2; Basketball 3; Track Manager 3,4; Yearbook Staff 1; Outstanding Math Student 4

Dear Candace,

It was nice knowing
you. Have a good bid
day. I hope your Senior year
will be as nice as mine.

Love,
Kaye